TODAY'S WEATHER.
Partly cloudy; snow near Lake Erie is the forecast.

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THE WEATHER.

Time of sunrise today..... 7:18 a. m.
Time of sunset today..... 5:06 p. m.
Daily report for yesterday by the United States weather bureau:

Time.	Baro.	Temp.	Hum	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	29.57	29	94	N.	Snow
8 p. m....	29.83	29	94	N.W.	Snow

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 21:

	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	39	53	45	45	40	46
Minimum	33	32	35	35	29	26
Mean	36	42	40	40	30	36
Precipitation	T.	0	.20	.50	.06	.01

Maximum temperature, 2 p. m..... 32
Minimum temperature, 8 a. m..... 25
Mean temperature 30
Normal temperature for 31 years..... 30
Excess in the temperature for the day... 0
Excess in temperature since Jan. 1..... 22
Normal precipitation for 31 years..... .10
Precipitation for the day..... .23
Excess in precipitation for the day..... .13
Deficiency in precipitation since Jan. 1... 1.49

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—Forecast for Thursday and Friday:

Western Pennsylvania—Partly cloudy Thursday, with snow near Lake Erie; Friday, cloudy, probably rain or snow; fresh northerly winds, becoming variable.

Ohio—Fair Thursday; fresh westerly winds, becoming variable.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy Thursday, with snow in the mountain districts; Friday, cloudy, probably rain or snow; westerly winds, becoming variable.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Pittsburgh	29 Snow	Wichita	34 Clear
Buffalo	32 Cloudy	Washington	36 Clear
Columbus	28 Clear	Jacksonville	48 Clear
Parkersb'g	32 Cloudy	Norfolk	42 Cloudy
Nashville	34 Cloudy	Galveston	50 Clear
Chattan'ga	36 Cloudy	N. Orleans	48 Clear
Louisville	36 Cloudy	New York	36 Cloudy
Vicksburg	44 Pt'dy	Philadelp'a	36 Cloudy
Memphis	38 Clear	Buffalo	28 Snow
Shreveport	48 Pt'dy	Cleveland	28 Cloudy
St. Louis	34 Clear	Denver	28 Cloudy
Kan. City	32 Clear	Cheyenne	18 Pt'dy
Oklahoma	42 Clear	Marquette	30 Pt'dy
Chicago	30 Cloudy	Huron	24 Cloudy
Grd. Haven	28 Cloudy	St. Paul	28 Pt'dy
Des Moines	26 Clear	Helena	20 Clear
Davenport	26 Cloudy	Bismarck	18 Clear
		Omaha	28 Clear

SPORT AND INJURY FOLLOW IN WAKE OF SNOWSTORM

Slippery Streets Cause Numerous Injuries to Pedestrians.

DANGER HANGS OVER COASTING CHILDREN

Sleds Shoot Around Perilous Corners on Many City Streets.

SLEIGHING FINE IN EAST END DISTRICT

Horses Fall on Hillsides and Traffic Is Impeded in Every Section of Pittsburgh — Worst of the Storm Is Past.

For the first time in two years sleighing was at its height in the East End district last night. Many parties were out on the snow yesterday afternoon, but last night the boulevard and all the principal drives in the East End were crowded from 8 o'clock until midnight.

Every liveryman in the East End had all his cutters out early in the evening and there was the greatest demand for sleighs that has been known in years. Highland and Schenley parks were the Meccas of many driving parties, while others were content to enjoy the sport on the principal streets.

The pavements were slippery and many pedestrians sustained severe falls, although no fatalities were reported. The snow on the streets was underlaid with a sheet of ice, and horses fell frequently and several had to be shot.

John Battles, superintendent of highways and sewers, sustained a fracture of the knee cap while getting off a car at Hazelwood last night. He was taken to his home in Kaercher street.

Coasted Into Danger.

The snow of Monday night and Tuesday was succeeded by another heavy fall, which began early yesterday morning and continued until late at night. The rain of Tuesday evening, which threatened to cause a disastrous flood, was turned into snow, and the icy streets were covered with a heavy layer of white flakes.

On every slope in the city streets were hundreds of coasting children, and the sleds kept shooting under wagons and in front of trolley cars in a way that brought peril to scores every minute.

The streets running from Fifth avenue to Forbes street in the Fourteenth ward were a favorite resort for the children of the district, and at many points the sleds sped across the deadly Forbes street car tracks in an almost continual stream.

Many Slightly Hurt.

The front windows of the trolley cars were covered with the snow that froze to them, and the motormen were in fear and trembling all the time lest the next corner would be the scene of an accident.

Last night the conditions were worse and a number of youngsters were taken home with more or less serious injuries, while scores had hairbreadth escapes from being ground to death beneath the car wheels.

One of the most dangerous spots in the city is at the corner of Forbes and Moultrie streets, and last night the hill from Fifth avenue down was covered with sleds of the young coasters who were apparently unconscious of the danger which they ran every time they shot down the hill. Many times sleds passed between the front and rear wheels of wagons and cars were often stopped so suddenly that the passengers were almost jolted from the seats as the motorman put on the power brake to save some young life.

Crosses Both Tracks.

The long slide on Hazelwood avenue, with two sets of tracks to cross, was a favorite coast for the young people of that neighborhood. Long "bob-sleds" bore merry masses of humanity, flying down hill, and the railroad and street car men regarded it as almost a miracle that no one was killed or seriously injured.

The coasters on this thoroughfare not only had to cross the street car tracks, but also the main line of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, along which trains, both freight and passenger, were passing at short and uncertain intervals. Here too there were several slight accidents reported.

Snowballing caused several fights and several persons were severely injured, being struck in the face by flying missiles.

Mamie Renski and Frank Sitko were beset by a number of their schoolmates on Penn avenue, near Nineteenth street, and both badly hurt. It is feared that the little Renski girl will lose the sight of her right eye, while young Sitko was struck by a snowball containing a piece of coal and rendered unconscious.

Storm About Over.

There is little indication of much colder weather for Pittsburgh and vicinity. From the reports received by the local weather bureau last night the indications are favorable for clearing conditions and moderate temperature.

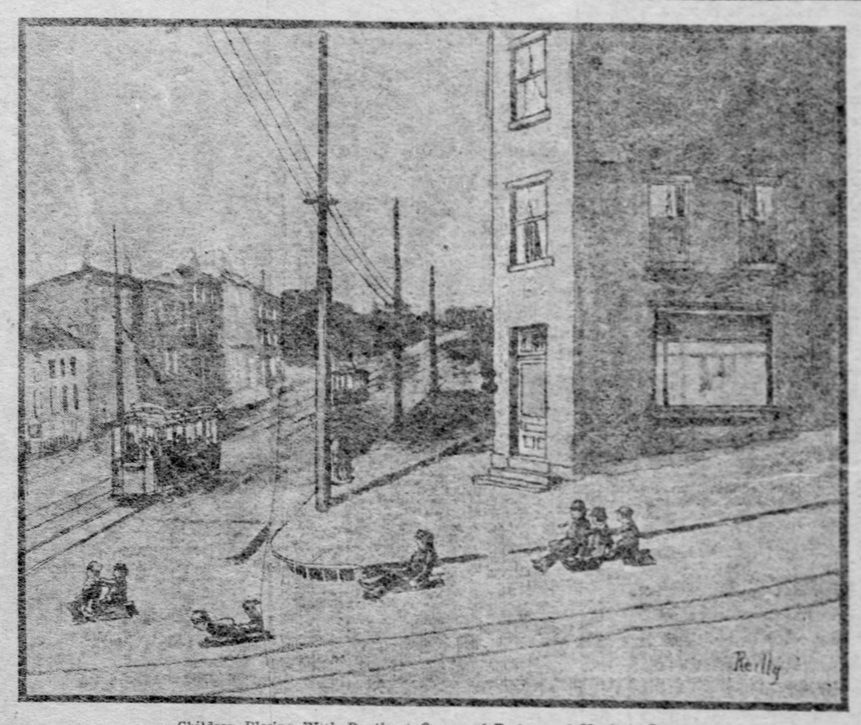
Street car traffic was delayed yesterday by the heavy snow. Along Fifth avenue the cars were held up by horses falling on the tracks and there being no foothold when they tried to rise to their feet much difficulty was experienced in keeping the streets open. Several of the horses were lifted by pedestrians and helped to the side of the tracks. Cars on the Hilltop division of the Pittsburgh & Birmingham traction were held up on account of the heavy snow, not enough power supplying the lines to carry the cars through. Patrons of the road were compelled to walk long distances, and their complaints about the service were emphatic.

In the Suburbs.

Milton Reed, aged 27 years, a draughtsman, employed at the Westinghouse plant, fell down a flight of icy steps at Bessemer terrace, near East Pittsburgh, while on his way to work yesterday morning. His left leg was broken and his wrists sprained.

The heavy snowfall tied up traffic in the suburban towns and many accidents were reported. At McKeesport a young coaster, John Egan, was run over by a wagon on Market street and his injuries may be fatal.

At the noon hour the Sewickley school children were collected on the street corner snowballing, when John Meckles, a big colored man, came by. They began to snowball him, and becoming enraged he caught one of the boys, Fred Braedus, knocked him down and pounded him. When the boy was picked up and taken into a store it was found that he had been cut by a knife or other sharp instrument, making a deep gash, cutting an artery near the right eye, from which the blood was freely flowing.



Children Playing With Death at Corner of Forbes and Moultrie Streets.

CAVE STRONGHOLDS OF SAMAR NATIVES TAKEN BY MARINES

They Constituted a Wonderful Fortress Three Years in Preparation, and Never Seen by White Troops.

MANY DEEDS OF HEROISM

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—Good work is being done by United States marines in aiding the army in suppressing the insurrection in Samar. The navy department has just received from Maj. Waller, commanding the battalion, a report on an expedition which overcame great difficulties and inflicted a severe blow upon the insurgents.

"The men in this march," Maj. Waller states, "have overcome incredible difficulties and dangers. The positions they destroyed must have taken several years to prepare. Reports from the old prisoners state that they have been three years working on the defenses. No white troops have ever penetrated these positions before, and they were held as a final rallying point. In addition to the spears and traps, there were innumerable rifle pits and many bamboo guns.

"The cliffs over the river are honeycombed with caves. These caves are reached by bamboo ladders, also by ledges of rock with bamboo rails. Tons of rock were suspended in cages held in position by vines and in readiness to be precipitated on people and boats below. Instant destruction would have been the fate of the boats had they attempted the passage of the river until the cliffs had been taken."

Maj. Waller recommends that medals of honor be awarded to Capts. D. D. Porter and H. L. Bearss, who displayed personal courage, intelligence, determination and zeal. He recommends brevets for First Lieutenants C. C. Carpenter and H. B. Lay, Second Lieutenant A. C. Rogers and Assistant Surgeon J. M. Boister. Gunnery Sergeant J. M. Quick and Acting Corporal Harry Glenn of Company H are especially mentioned, the first for conspicuous conduct. Glenn risked his life to pull out the fuse of a bamboo gun.

Corporal Robert Lakeye of Company D swam the river unarmed in the presence of the enemy to secure a boat. First Sergeant Gregan of Company F is especially recommended for his great zeal and for constantly encouraging the men under the most adverse and trying circumstances. Private Campbell is mentioned for his conspicuous work with the Colt gun under extreme difficulty.

TWO CLEVER CROOKS ARRESTED BY POLICE

Said to Have Stolen a Valuable Pin from E. A. Rook and Diamond Stud from Philip Fitzgibbon.

TWO OTHERS RELEASED

The two pickpockets who have been stealing diamond studs, emerald pins and pocketbooks containing large amounts of money are now safely incarcerated in the Central police station. They are two of the best thieves that have been arrested in this city for some time. When taken into custody they gave their names as John Clark of Cleveland, O., and John Cleveland of Boston, Mass. They were arrested by Detectives William Elmore and Robert Denniston.

On Tuesday afternoon these men stole an emerald stick pin from E. A. Rook of Stanton and Highland avenues while riding on the street car on his route home. The pin was valued at $500. Mr. Rook called at the police station last night and identified the men as the persons who jostled him about on the street car on that occasion. These men are also accused of stealing a $400 diamond stud from Philip Fitzgibbon, a Penn avenue saloonkeeper, while he was entering the Bijou theater Monday night.

The thieves were arrested at the car terminal at Liberty and Market street. The detectives saw the men jumping on and off the crowded cars. They did this several times, and the officers accosted them. Before they approached them the men had ridden on a car as far as Penn avenue. Here they jumped off and came back to the corner, where they were placed under arrest.

They both refused to talk to the detectives. They gave their fictitious names and said that they had just come to the city. Both men are young and were well dressed.

It is alleged that these men made sev-

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GROVER CLEVELAND DEFINES OUR DUTY TO CUBAN PEOPLE

Morality and Conscience Should Dictate Attitude Toward the New Island Republic.

OBLIGATION IS SACRED

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

YORK, PA., Jan. 22.—A. B. Farquhar of this city, the head of the Farquhar agricultural works and prominent in national Democratic affairs, has received the following letter from ex-President Cleveland in reply to one sent him by Mr. Farquhar recently relative to the relations of the United States with Cuba:

Princeton, N. J. Jan. 21.

My Dear Mr. Farquhar:

I have only sufficiently recovered from my illness to be about a little and ride out in a limited way. Tomorrow I hope to start on a trip to the south, in the expectation that my health will be largely reinstated by the outing.

I received your letter yesterday and was much impressed by the manner in which you discuss our relations and our duty to Cuba. The arguments used in opposition to the tariff concessions she implores, based upon our material interests, are fallacious, mistaken and misleading, while their source and the agencies of their propagation and spread cannot fail to be recognized by every honest, patriotic citizen with shame and humiliation.

It seems to me, however, that this subject involves considerations of morality and conscience higher and more commanding than all others. The obligations arising from these considerations cannot be better or more forcibly defined than was done by President Roosevelt in his message to congress, nor better emphasized than has been done by Secretary Root, and yet congress waits while we ostensibly hear of concessions which fine sugar interests might approve in behalf of troubling Cuba.

I do not believe that nations, any more than individuals, can safely violate the rules of honesty and fair dealing. Until there is no escape therefore, I will not believe, that, with all our fine words and lofty professions, our embrace of Cuba means the contagion of deadly disease.

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CRANBORNE HAS DRAWN FIRE OF TWO CAPITALS

Russia and France Deny England Was Alone in Friendship.

MOURAVIEFF WAS FIRST TO DECLINE

Other Powers, Including England, Then Refused to Sign Note of Protest.

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR HISTORY IS REWRITTEN

European Statesmen Take Pains to Deny the Insinuation Contained in the Statement Made in British House of Commons.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 22.—The correspondent of the Associated Press here has obtained the following statement from the Russian foreign office regarding the announcement made in the British house of commons Monday concerning negotiations between the powers before and after the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, and the assertions made by a British foreign official to a representative of the Associated Press on the same subject:

"Russia has always been and is now extremely desirous of maintaining amicable relations with the United States. Russia never had any intention of participating in any collective step in the Spanish-American dispute, which did not directly concern her. Nor did Russia receive any proposition having such action in view. Indeed, we received no information regarding Austria's alleged initiative or about an attempt on the part of any of the powers to interfere in the interest of Spain."

Attitude of France.

PARIS, Jan. 22.—In view of the statement made by Lord Cranborne the British under secretary of state for foreign affairs, in the house of commons Monday on the subject of representations made to Great Britain before and after the outbreak of the Spanish-American war, and the dispatch of the Associated Press from London yesterday on the same subject, the correspondent of the Associated Press made inquiries in an authoritative quarter here and received the following explanations, which throw a somewhat different light on the subject.

In the first place, in the Spanish negotiations, at the end of March, 1898, to secure the intervention of the powers in her favor, Great Britain took the same attitude as France and other powers. She neither refused nor consented to join in collective action. All the powers were hesitating until they ascertained the intentions of the others. Russia settled the matter by the late Count Mouravieff's blunt rejection of the proposal.

Austria Made a Proposal.

Subsequently, after General Woodford's conference with the Spanish premier and Senor Gullon, the foreign minister, at which the latter indicated the extent of the surrender Spain was willing to make to the United States demands, the Austrian government, believing Spain's surrender was sufficiently complete to satisfy the United States, instructed its ambassadors to propose to the European governments that a note be presented at Washington urging the United States to accept Spain's offer and avert war. The Spanish ambassador in London saw A. J. Balfour (the first lord of the treasury, who must at that time have been acting as secretary of state for foreign affairs during the absence of Lord Salisbury at Beaulieu, France), who promised to instruct Lord Pauncefote to act alone, or with his colleague with the view to maintain peace.

No collective action was definitely agreed upon, though Russia, France and Germany were disposed toward a movement which would avert an outbreak of

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HEAVY RAINFALL CAUSES DAMAGE AT MANY POINTS

Eastern Pennsylvania Mills, Mines and Railroads Are Crippled by High Water.

ONE MAN IS DROWNED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 22.—The unusually heavy rainfall during the past 48 hours has caused another sudden rise in all of the streams in Eastern Pennsylvania, especially those fed by mountain runs, where melted ice and snow has turned mountain creeks into raging torrents. From Port Carbon to Philadelphia the Schuylkill river is over its banks. Near Pottsville the mines are again threatened as in the December floods. At Hamilton eight collieries have been forced to shut down. At Reading several cave-ins along the Reading railway and branches are reported and trains on the Lebanon valley road have ceased running for the night.

At West Chester, Ridley creek rose suddenly last night, swept away a horse and carriage and drowned Dr. Francis Clement, a Paoli physician, who was returning from a visit to a patient. The Delaware river is more than two feet higher than it has been for many years. Many bridges are threatened between Trenton and Easton and the surface of the river is covered with debris.

Railroad Traffic Suspended.

Along the Lehigh river from Mauch Chunk to South Easton the lowlands are flooded. Traffic on the Lehigh & Lackawanna railroad, a branch of the Jersey Central extending from Bethlehem to Bangor and Pen Argyl, is entirely stopped, the tracks being under water for 10 miles above Bethlehem.

The Susquehanna river and its tributaries are reported to be greatly swollen. Great damage has been done in Cumberland county and large tracts of land are inundated. At Carlisle, Pa., the cellars of many handsome residences are filled with water and several county bridges are reported to be in danger.

At Chadsford, James Callahan was aroused early this morning by the rush of water into his house. He discovered that the Brandywine river had risen and completely surrounded his home. He managed to save his wife and three small children through a small window after much hardship. The building was partly swept away.

Mills Forced to Close.

In Philadelphia there has been very little damage so far, although the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers are very high. Several mills were forced to close down in Manyunk district this afternoon and a number of squatters' houses along the lower Delaware are half filled with water, with the families living in the second stories and on the roofs.

LANCASTER, PA., Jan. 22.—An ice gorge has formed in the Susquehanna just below Washington borough. Ice has jammed between the shore and an island a half mile off shore to a height of 50 feet. No serious damage has yet been done, but danger is feared from the ice and flood waters now coming down the stream. At Washington borough the tracks of the Port Deposit & Columbia railroad are covered by water to a depth of three feet and traffic has been stopped.

WOMAN FORCED TO JUMP TO ESCAPE THE FLAMES.

A Police Officer Caught Her in His Arms and Thus Saved Her from Serious Injury.

With the flames from the burning store of Julius Caplan at No. 1112 Penn avenue creeping upon her, Mrs. Rosie Lambert, 36 years old, was forced to jump from the second-story window to save herself. She landed in the arms of Police Officer Benjamin Rosenblatt, and escaped with a few slight bruises and some burns about her hands and face. She was taken to the Homeopathic hospital in No. 3 patrol wagon, and will be able to leave the hospital today. The fire broke out in the store window about 10 o'clock, and before the flames could be extinguished the place was damaged to the extent of $7,000. Caplan's loss is about $900.

Mrs. Lambert is employed as a cook in the Sixth Avenue hotel, and has been rooming in the second story front room for some time. She had retired and was in her night clothes. Then the fire broke out through the floor of her room. She ran to the window and called for help. Officer Rosenblatt ran directly under the window and told her to jump. She gave a spring and landed in the arms of the officer. She slipped through his arms and fell on the pavement. She was only slightly bruised by the fall, but her clothing was on fire. Heavy coats were thrown over her and she was taken to a nearby store and then removed to the hospital.

The building was a three-story affair and is owned by Peter Shearns of Sharpsburg. The first floor was occupied by Caplan as a second-hand clothing store. The balance of the rooms were rented to lodgers. The fire started in the store window, it is thought by the gas light exploding and setting fire to the display goods.

CLEVELAND GOES HUNTING

Admiral Evans and Gen. McCook Among His Companions.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Ex-President Grover Cleveland left Princeton this afternoon for the south, where, in company with Rear Admiral Evans, Gen. Anson G. McCook, E. C. Benedict and Herman May, he will spend several days hunting. The former president and Mrs. Cleveland joined the rest of the party at Princeton Junction. Mrs. Cleveland went as far as Philadelphia, where she spends the night, returning to Princeton tomorrow morning.

The company will be guests of Col. Alexander, whose home is on an island 20 miles off Georgetown, S. C.

RENOUNCED A THRONE.

Arch Duchess Elizabeth of Austria Weds Prince Otto Von Windischgraetz.

VIENNA, Jan. 22.—The Archduchess Elizabeth, daughter of the Princess Stephanie and the late Crown Prince Rudolph, was married at noon today to Prince Otto von Windischgraetz, in the grand hall of the imperial palace.

Before the ceremony the archduchess formally renounced all claims to the Austrian throne.

ACTOR DIES ON THE STAGE.

LONDON, Jan. 22. — (Special Cable.)—The performance of the German play, "Ihre Familie," at St. George's hall tonight, was brought to a tragic conclusion by the sudden death of Herr George Worlitzsch, one of the actors. He was playing the part of Adolf Waedicke and expired in full view of the audience from apoplexy.

NAMES ON LIST ARE UNKNOWN TO HOUSEHOLDERS

Men, Named as Boarders, Never Heard of by Landladies.

CHARGES ARE BACKED BY STRONG TESTIMONY

Many of Those Registered Have Been Gone from Ward for Many Months.

MORE EVIDENCE WILL BE TAKEN TOMORROW

Hearing of Fourth Ward Petition Was Not Finished at Yesterday's Session—One House Contained No Beds.

At the hearing of the Fourth ward registration case yesterday in common pleas court No. 3, the fact was developed that Registering Assessor Charles J. Sweeney had placed on the lists names of many people who were not only not living at the houses named, but were unknown there.

Some 15 or 16 witnesses were called during the afternoon by Attorney C. A. O'Brien for the petitioners, and it was clearly shown by a majority of them that there were many names on the registry list that did not belong there.

Boarding house keepers testified that men registered from their houses had never lived there at all; that others had removed long before the first week in December, and well-known citizens of the ward swore that they had never heard of some of the men who were registered as their neighbors, and one witness positively admitted that the house in which he slept on the beer tables in the upper story was not a dwelling house, yet several men were registered from the place.

Whole Number Is 140.

The petition through which the matter was brought into the courts was signed by T. J. Lee and F. A. Geraghty, and it asked that the names of 140 persons be stricken from the registry list of the first district of the Fourth ward, alleging that these names had been placed there by Assessor Sweeney without authority, and that the men named were not entitled to vote in the ward.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock Judges J. A. Evans and John M. Kennedy took up the petition, which, counting those that were on the list who were registered in December should remain on the list, and that only those who were not there at the time the registration was made were open for challenge. Fifty-four names were eliminated from the petition, leaving 140 alleged to be wrongfully registered.

Said It Was Mistake.

The first witness called by the attorney for the petitioner was Patrick Moriel, register assessor of the second district, who gave his place of residence as No. 126 Ninth street. He was called to testify as to the residence of John J. Sweeney, which he first stated was No. 721 Penn street, and again as the Hotel Findley on Sixth street. He is registered from both places, which are in the first and second districts. He voted from the first district at the November election. Moriel said that he was the ward assessor, and that the mistake had occurred in copying from the old list.

Miss Annie Park, who said that she was a chambermaid, and also frequently acted as clerk at the Hotel Findley, stated that John J. Sweeney had a room at the Hotel Findley, but never regularly occupied it. She was positive of this, and also that he was not at the hotel on December 28.

Did Not Know Out.

Miss Park was recalled and said that J. M. Butler had been a guest at the hotel and went away before Christmas; George Edmunds was there during December, J. O'Neil was not there in December, but was there in November; she did not know H. S. Ort; J. P. Irwin left about October 1; Harry Colt left just before Thanksgiving; Blake left in October, and George Fletcher left about November 1.

Albert Hall, clerk of the Red Lion hotel, No. 109 Sixth street, said that Reuben Lee, a horse trader, was constantly coming and going, and was there occasionally for days at a time; at one time, at first, he could not say that it was his home. William Brownlee also stopped at the hotel occasionally, but he had not been there for six months. Frank Donohue and Fred Hoffer are boarders, S. W. Robinson left early in December; J. O'Leary, O. H. Johnson, Robert Magraw, J. M. Shields and W. Keeper had not been there for two months. He did not give the assessor the list of names which were on the registry list.

Were Not Permanent.

John Lewis, proprietor of a lodging house at No. 402 Duquesne way, from which several people were registered, stated that Jack McClinton, a horse trader, came there once in a while, but was never there permanently. He also made the same reply in regard to several others.

The strongest witness of the afternoon was Frank Rupp, who was located at No. 114 Seventh street. In reply to the question as to what kind of a place it was, he said that it was a dwelling house. "Does Charles Kennedy live there?" asked Attorney O'Brien. "Yes." "Is it not a club house." "Well, I don't know about that. It is not a boarding house." When pressed, however, he admitted that it might be called a club house, except that the two rooms on the second floor were occupied by H. J. Moore and H. A. Rudy as offices.

No Beds in House.

In reply to Attorney O'Brien he admitted that the four rooms on the upper floors were filled with four tables and chairs, and that he slept there on the tables. He said that Fred Koerber did not live there. Edward Schmaltz of No. 114 Seventh street said that there were no beds in the house.

Mrs. Gertrude Shepherd of No. 411 Liberty avenue had at one time 25 Gould, P. Williams, D. K. Lovell, J. Lewis, Walter Radcliff and Walter Richmond as boarders, but they had all left the house before the registry list was made out. She could not recollect Charles Kurtz. W. K. Hall had not been there since last August.

Mrs. Gorster, who takes boarders at No. 317 Penn avenue, said that Edward Davis had been there in December, Johnny Lott two months ago; Arthur Roche left early last summer; H. Rudolph left in September, and she did not know Frank

Russell. On cross examination she declared that she did not give Russell's name to Assessor Sweeney.

Neither Lived There.

O. G. Brown, who resides at No. 322 Penn avenue, where he conducts a lodging house, and who also is proprietor of the boarding house at No. 311 Penn avenue, stated that William Rodgers had boarded at the latter place until three weeks ago and had been there one month; G. Wolff had not been there lately, and that neither made his home there. Judge Evans asked if they had any other homes and the witness replied that he did not know. When asked about John O'Connell he said that he did not know him. M. C. Higgins had boarded at No. 322 and was still there, but J. H. Kissnoff had not been there for two or three months, although he had previously made it his home. R. C. Wenke was there in December.

D. T. Connelly of No. 9 Third street testified that William Crouin had left his place in November and that he did not know William Thompson, registered at No. 14 Third street. He said that he knew Law Ashton and that he lived in the Sixth ward, Allegheny. Ashton is registered from No. 11 Third street.

Left Last June.

Charles Ward of No. 313 Liberty avenue said that Samuel Tucker had left last June and Daniel Lewis last November, while Eliat Guby had not been there for a year past. He also named several others who were not there when the list was made up.

John Owens of No. 9 Scott place said that Mike Keeley left four months ago and that F. Maineheata did not live there at all; neither did John Lee, whom he understood was in Chicago. The two O'Malley brothers, Peter and Thomas, he was sure, had not lived at No. 17 Scott place for three or four months.

Mr. Kaufmann, No. 403 Penn avenue, said that William Mills had lived there once, but not since December 1.

Mrs. Swearengen of No. 315 Penn avenue said that Charles McFier and Wade Chisholm were traveling men and when in the city boarded with her, but she thought that they considered her place their home.

At this point, it being after 4 o'clock, the court adjourned with the understanding that the case would be taken up at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Tampering With Witnesses.

Charges that witnesses summoned to testify before court in the Fourth ward registration cases have been tampered with are made by representatives of the Democratic and Citizens' parties. Complaint will be made to court today that machine agents have been persuading witnesses to stay away from the hearings. Witnesses served with court summons have been told by the machine agents that the summons were served by a constable and that they are not under compulsion to attend the hearings. Two of the witnesses alleged to have been intimidated were summoned to testify in the case of Representative John J. Sweeney, whose residence in the Fourth ward is disputed.

CITIZENS WILL MEET TO RATIFY THE TICKET

Another Mass Meeting Will Be Held in Old City Hall Next Month.

A second citizens mass meeting will be held in the Old City hall early in February to ratify the nomination of John F. Larkin for city controller and indorse the nominations of independent candidates for council made in the various wards of the city since the organization of the Citizens party.

Prior to the meeting in the Old City hall many ward meetings will be held. One is scheduled for tonight in the Turner hall, South Thirteenth street, Twenty-eighth ward. The speakers will be C. A. O'Brien, Charles A. Whitesides, Robert J. Mattern and William J. Brennen.

Another citizens meeting will be held on January 30 in Odd Fellows hall, Eighteenth and Sarah streets, Twenty-sixth ward. The speakers will be George W. Guthrie, George H. Stengel and J. H. Michaelian.

The "old" organization intends to run Common Councilman Elmer E. Siebert of the Eighteenth ward for the legislature from the fifth district, in return for his support of the machine ticket for city controller and councils.

Until within the last few months Councilman Siebert was a bitter opponent of the machine.

He said he would support Wainwright and Controller Lewis upon the grounds of old friendship, but expressed the opinion that the people of the Eighteenth ward are for Larkin.

"Out here you can hear nothing else but Larkin, and I expect to see him elected," said Mr. Siebert.

The selection of Assemblyman Henry Hall to open the machine campaign is accepted generally as a guarantee that Col. Hall has been promised the machine nomination for congress from the new downtown district.

MINERS ARE WAITING.

Committee Appointed to Investigate Charges Against Pres. Mitchell Will Report Today.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The committee appointed to investigate the charges made by Mollie Meredith against President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, and other national officials, is in session here tonight, and expects to be able to report in the morning. It is believed that the result will be a complete exoneration for the officers.

The scale committee organized at noon today. John P. Reese, president of the Iowa miners, was elected chairman and President Haskins of the Ohio miners, secretary. Its report will not be ready for several days, possibly a week.

Delegate Foster of Ohio, at the afternoon session, made a motion to exclude the representative of a certain newspaper from the convention because it had reported that the convention had been in session yesterday. President Mitchell opposed the proposition and the matter was dropped. The convention then held a long session, in which Ben Tillett, the English labor leader, took a prominent part.

Considerable ill feeling exists among delegates from other states against the Ohio men who are charged with having paid the expenses of Miss Meredith to Indianapolis so that she could prefer charges. Some go even so far as to say that it is a plot to manufacture sentiment against Mitchell, making it possible for Vice President Lewis, who lives in Ohio, to be elected president. Lewis, however, is concerned almost as much as Mitchell, and he has invited investigation. The Ohio men say they brought Miss Meredith here not to hurt Mitchell but to have the charges finally disposed of.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
Southampton	St. Louis	
St. Michaels	Hohenzollern	
Queenstown	Teutonic	
Hongkong	Tartar	
Gibraltar	Mavune	
Movilla	Wrestland	Sylvania.
Movilla		Belgenland.
Fernandina		Carlisle City.
Hamburg		Amasis.
New York		Philadelphia.
New York		Augusta
		Victoria.
New York		Germanic
New York		Southwark.
Glasgow	Norwegian	
Philadelphia		Pennland.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Sir Henry Irving and Ellen Terry in "The Merchant of Venice," 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—The Lafayette Show, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GRAND—"Rosemary," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA—"Kentucky," 8:15 p. m.

EMPIRE—"Treasure Island," 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Merry Maiden Burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating. Hockey in the evening, Prontenac of Kingston, Canada, vs. Keystones of Pittsburgh.

$350 UPRIGHT PIANO FOR $135.

At Henricks Piano Co., Ltd.

A nearly new upright Piano, fine mahogany case and elegant tone, will be sacrificed for $135 to close up account at once. This is a chance in a lifetime. Can be seen at 603 Smithfield St., 4 doors from Sixth Ave. Time given on part.

BOOKKEEPER IS CHARGED WITH BIG SHORTAGE

Cincinnati Man Said to Have Helped Himself to Many Thousands.

PROPERTY TURNED OVER

Experts at Work on His Accounts. Deficit Estimated at $160,000 to $400,000—Death of Senior Partner Caused an Investigation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 22.—Sensational reports were published here today of an alleged shortage in the books of Theodore Braemer, who resigned last Sunday his position as secretary and treasurer of the J. & F. Schroth Packing Company of this city. The story, as first published, alleged a shortage of from $160,000 to $400,000, extending over a period of 20 years, and claimed that Mr. Braemer had turned over all of his property and chattels in trust, pending an examination of the books by experts. Braemer denied that there was any defalcation, but admitted that he had turned $72,000 in personal property over to Harlan Cleveland, his attorney, and Joseph W. O'Hara, attorney for the Schroths' company. While Braemer talked freely about the case, the Schroths refused to say anything, and the attorneys were also reticent.

A Trusted Employe.

Braemer is 45 years old and has been with the Schroths 27 years, most of the time receiving $25 per week as bookkeeper and in recent years twice that much as secretary and treasurer. The firm did a business of about $1,000,000 a year, which was handled by Braemer.

When John Schroth died, more than a year ago, Lieut. Gov. Carl Nippert became the attorney of his heirs, who instituted an investigation of the company. This finally culminated in a meeting of all interested parties last Sunday, at which Braemer resigned and from which the sensational reports of today emanated. The accountants insist that they cannot complete their work for two or three weeks and counsel say that no reliable statement can be made until that time.

Story Caused a Sensation.

No reports of similar character ever created such a sensation in this city, as Mr. Braemer always has been regarded as a man of highest business and social standing. He owns one of the finest residences in the city and it is furnished with all that art can supply. In all the sensational reports that have been published no reference is made to him as a fast man or as having any bad habits such as are usually coupled with such sensations. The attorneys and other interested persons will give no assurance that the report of the experts examining the books will be made public when completed, as they state that every possible difference has already been adjusted satisfactorily by the property that Braemer has turned over in trust. All those interested state that they expected after the meeting last Sunday, at which Braemer resigned, that all differences would be settled without the matter ever becoming public.

Mr. Braemar's Explanation.

Mr. Braemar made the following statement today:

"I'll tell you the truth of the matter," said Braemar. "The 'old man' and I have been fighting for about six months, and I concluded to quit, and I resigned Sunday. Some errors had been discovered in the books, and it was mutually agreed to have an expert go over them. In order to indemnify the company, Attorneys Cleveland and O'Hara were appointed trustees of my estate, and I turned over to them the $72,000 in stocks. If any shortage is found I will be to blame. My salary was $60 a week, and had been for the past ten years. I owned $15,000 worth of stock in the company. In conclusion I wish to state that if there is any shortage I know nothing of it."

CRANBORNE HAS DRAWN FIRE OF TWO CAPITALS

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however, it was declared that Mr. Balfour had raised the objection to which Lord Cranborne alluded in the house of commons Monday against any note which would have the appearance of putting pressure on the United States or offering an opinion on the United States attitude. The Austrian proposition then fell through and the subsequent joint resolution of congress rendered any further action out of the question. This was the extent of Great Britain's action in favor of the United States.

Cranborne's Statement Incorrect.

The statement of a prominent British official quoted in the London dispatch of the Associated Press regarding the alleged support by France of the Austrian proposal is declared to be incorrect. France did not back up the proposal and the French ambassador in London confined himself to making an inquiry as to what view the British government took of the matter. France's attitude throughout, was friendly to the United States as well as to Spain, her ardent desire being to avert war. She took no initiative in any suggestion tending to put pressure on the United States, nor at any time encouraged Spain to resistance. Her influence was always directed in the pour-parlers of the powers to maintaining peace.

Senor Gullon Furious.

The exact value which should be placed on Great Britain's leanings toward the United States can be gauged, it is declared, by the fact that when war was declared Senor Gullon was furious, firstly, against Germany, secondly against Russia and only thirdly against Great Britain. His resentment against Germany was due to the latter having encouraged Spain to resist and then having abandoned her at the last moment.

SHORTAGE DISCOVERED.

Former Official of Commercial Travelers' Association Spent Money on the Races.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 22.—The investigation of the books of the late H. C. Tatum, secretary and treasurer of the Western Commercial Travelers association, who recently committed suicide, has been concluded and shows a shortage of about $18,000.

It is stated that Mr. Tatum made a confession to certain members of a committee of the association when the examination of his books was commenced, prior to the annual election, which was held three days before his death. He informed the committee that they would find a shortage, and said that it had all gone on the races. The accounts were found to balance up to last October, when the first shortage or discrepancy was discovered.

Physician Badly Injured.

WEST BRIDGEWATER, PA., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Dr. Charles W. Thomas while returning home from church last night stepped on the icy pavement and badly injured his spine by a fall. He was carried to his home by friends on a stretcher. The attending physician pronounced the injury serious.

Cut out so as to keep the border on the ballot.

This BALLOT cut from **The Pittsburgh Gazette** of THURSDAY, January 23, 1902, if received at our office before MIDNIGHT OF FEBRUARY 15, Counts ONE VOTE for

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Name .....

School .....

Town ..... *County* .....

For the EUROPEAN TOUR tendered to 25 most popular School Teachers by

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE and CHRONICLE TELEGRAPH.

Send all ballots to Excursion Department, Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. Ballots not legibly filled out will not be counted. Last ballot will be printed May 31, 1902. Ballots from Sunday Gazette count three votes.

WILL TAKE ON MODERN PLANTS

INDEPENDENT GLASS CO. PLANS A RE-ORGANIZATION.

At End of Year Some Strong Independent Interests Will Be Added to the Organization—Workers of American Company Get Wage Advance.

At the expiration, this year, of its present articles of organization, the Independent Glass Company is already planning to extend the contracts with such of the interests as are its best economical factors in manufacture and some that are now outside of the company. The plan is to drop all the "deadwood" and add such strong independent interests with modern factories as can be brought over.

As now organized the Independent company owns none of the factories, simply taking the product of factories under contract. Each factory owner has a portion of the stock of the Independent company, which is apportioned according to the pot capacity of the factory. This agreement expires with the year, and plans have already been considered for extending it on a more extensive scale along the lines indicated.

Conference in New York Today.

The plate and window glass jobbers held a conference in New York yesterday preliminary to a meeting with the American Window Glass Company and the Federation Co-Operative Window Glass Company today. The effort will be to arrange a contract for the sale of upward of 2,000,000 boxes of glass before the end of the fire. At the last conference in Pittsburgh, at which the Independent Glass Company, pursuant to its open market policy previously declared, was not represented, the jobbers were ready to place an order, but could not come to terms on prices.

President C. F. Cole of the Independent Glass Company said last night at the Hotel Duquesne:

No War Contemplated.

"We are not making war on the other interests. We are simply selling our glass to the individual jobbers at our own prices regardless of the prices of others. Much of our output has already been sold, but at no prices eliminating a profit.

"Our executive board simply felt that the best interests of the company would be to avoid any price contracts, which we could not break and which the large outside interests, organized as they are, could break. The independents make about 35 per cent of the glass, the American company 35 per cent, and our factories 30 per cent. When the American formed it made about 80 per cent of the glass. We are operating in full 725 pots.

Forfeiture Is Small.

"The Federation company is only a sales agreement by which the concerns composing it agree to a price and term of fire. This agreement is only bound by a forfeiture clause of $10 a pot. If one of those concerns, say a 12-pot factory, chose to continue making glass at the end of the fire, when prices would likely be advanced, they could afford to pay the forfeiture in the sale of a single carload of glass.

"Our position from the start is that the independents would have to be bound by something stronger, or we could not enter any agreement. That is why we were not represented at the last meeting, and will not be at the meeting tomorrow, the other interests having nothing satisfactory to offer that we will accept.

Are Opposed to Burns.

"Our workers will stand with the Denby organization regardless of any moves of the Burns men to take them back without fines. The American company and the Burns men cannot control the workers, and if they worked a longer fire than might be agreed on that would be the only danger of our losing any of our men."

The American Window Glass Company yesterday announced a voluntary advance to all its skilled men ranging from 10 to 15 per cent. The advances are to start with the settlement of January 25. To single strength blowers and gatherers the advance is 15 per cent. To all other blowers, gatherers, cutters and flatteners the advance is 10 per cent.

Representatives of the Denny organization of workmen and the Independent Glass Company say that they regard the wage concession as an invitation to draw men from the Denny organization and the factories of the Independent Glass Company, the plan being, they say, to cripple operations of this company and to fill the idle shops of the American Window Glass company.

MURDERED HIS BROTHER.

Wealthy Chicago Man Shot to Death While Carrying His Little Niece.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Robert McFetridge, a wealthy ice dealer, was shot and mortally wounded tonight by his brother, William McFetridge.

For a long time there has been bad blood between the brothers over business matters. The brothers, their wives and nearly all members of their respective families were on Judge Dunne's court this evening, where an assault case, growing out of the family troubles, was being heard. While Robert McFetridge was on his way home, carrying in his arms his 2-year-old niece, William McFetridge came up from behind and shot him in the back. Badly wounded as he was Robert's chief care was to protect the little girl. He tried to put her in a place of safety, and as he ran his brother followed, shooting him twice more. William McFetridge was arrested after a short search by the police.

New Smallpox Case.

Harry Smith, colored, of No. 919 Wylie avenue, was found to have smallpox yesterday afternoon and was taken to the Municipal hospital last night. The three persons who lived in the house were also removed then to await development. Smith came to this city on Saturday from Virginia.

After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating, or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

Hood's Pills

Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

POLICE CAPTURE CLEVER CROOKS

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eral good hauls in the Lawrenceville district Monday afternoon. George H. Hall of McDowell Bros., at Forty-eighth and Butler streets, was robbed of his pocketbook that contained $172 while getting on a street car. He did not discover the robbery until he had reached Etna.

In addition to this there have been several other depredations committed in the city. This makes the second gang of pickpockets that has been arrested here in the last three weeks. Detectives Elmore and Denniston arrested Alex Franklin and Jacob Saiix, two of the best-known pickpockets in the country, at Fifth avenue and Market street. These men robbed Mr. Moorhead of $175 and Dr. J. Guy McCandless of his watch and chain. They also stole another diamond stud from a clerk in the court house.

All these articles were returned by the thieves and they were liberated on Tuesday. The men were escorted out of the city. It is alleged that they returned over $1,000 in money and jewelry to the persons they stole them from.

ONE DEMOCRAT REVOLTS ON PHILIPPINE POLICY

Congressman Cummings Hopes to Be Paralyzed When He Refuses to Vote to Protect Soldiers.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—Some of the old partisan fire was injected into the proceedings of the house today when the item in the urgent deficiency bill appropriating $500,000 for a military post at Manila, which the Democrats have been using as a text for speeches in opposition to the Philippine policy of the administration for the last three days, was reached.

Mr. Cannon, in charge of the bill, confessed that the appropriation was subject to a point of order, and it went out. In lieu thereof he offered an amendment to appropriate the same sum for the "shelter and protection" of the officers and enlisted men of the army on duty in the Philippines. This the chair held to be in order, and it at once became the subject of a very spirited debate, in which Mr. Richardson, the minority leader; Mr. Williams of Mississippi, and Mr. De Armond of Missouri, were pitted against the chairman of the appropriations' committee.

Partisan applause rang out on each side for the respective champions, and there seemed to be a solid line-up on each side of the political aisle; but when the vote came to be taken Mr. Cummings, a New York Democrat, voted with the Republicans. Turning angrily upon his political brethren, with clenched fist in their faces, he cried out that he hoped he might be paralyzed when he refused to vote to protect an American soldier. The vote on the adoption of the amendment stood—ayes, 127; noes, 100.

Before the general debate closed Mr. Watson paid a beautiful tribute to the late President McKinley.

Debate on the Philippine tariff bill was not continued in the senate today, no member of the body being prepared to proceed with the discussion. The bill providing for the establishment of a department of commerce was under discussion for nearly two hours. Little progress was made with it, as while the debate disclosed no objections to the main features of the bill there was a disposition on the part of the senate to give it careful consideration and to perfect the details.

BLOODHOUNDS CATCH THIEVES.

Burglars Rob a Kentucky Bank, But Are Easily Captured.

HARTFORD, KY., Jan. 22.—The Bank of Hartford was robbed of between $2,500 and $3,500 at 3 a. m. today by four men, who blew open the safe and escaped after a futile exchange of shots with the deputy sheriff and some citizens.

The four burglars were captured by Deputy Sheriff Keown and a posse with bloodhounds after a short chase. All of the stolen money was recovered.

PARTIAL PAYMENTS.

Reduce Interest Charges on Your Mortgage at Once.

Do you want to borrow money on your residence property on long time with the privilege of making payments before due and reducing interest charges immediately? The Peoples Savings bank, 241 Fourth avenue, has a large sum to place in this form of investment, if the property is located in Allegheny county. It asks no commission, charges no fancy price for title examination, and never keeps you waiting for your money. Ask about it. 12jxzi

EVERETT-MOORE TROLLEY LINES ON THE MARKET

Elkins-Widener Syndicate Said to Be Bargaining for Properties.

MANY BUYERS IN SIGHT

Either the Telephone or the Traction System Must Go in Order to Prevent Loss to Holders of Securities. Conference at Detroit.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 22.—Representatives of the Elkins-Widener syndicate have examined all the traction interests of the Everett-Moore syndicate with the object of purchasing the extensive railway interests, including the properties in this city. It is said that the representatives of the Elkins-Widener syndicate are very well satisfied with the physical condition of the traction lines and consider them a desirable investment.

It is now practically settled that either the Federal Telephone system or the entire traction system will be sold in a lump. The sale of either property will eleminate the necessity of selling the other. Even if it is necessary to include in the deal the sale of the Cleveland Electric Railway Company, the principal local street car system will be made a part of the Everett-Moore traction properties.

Many Prospective Buyers.

According to Chairman Newcomb tonight C. W. Morse of New York stands in the lead of the several parties who have been looking into the telephone properties with the purpose of buying them as a whole. It is also understood that eastern bond houses are after a controlling interest in the telephone properties.

The Elkins-Widener syndicate is one of the most powerful in the United States. It is understood that if this interest gets control of the Everett-Moore properties it will complete the work planned by them. Chairman Newcomb said that no definite proposals had yet been received, but that negotiations tending to that end are in progress daily.

No Options Will Be Given.

In regard to the conference at Detroit Tuesday, when members of the committee were approached with reference to the purchase of the uncompleted plant of the Peoples Telephone Company, a part of the Federal Telephone Company, Mr. Newcomb said that Detroit parties are anxious to get an option on the property. None will be given, however, for some time because of the negotiations pending for the sale of the telephone interests in a lump. Should the Federal system not be sold outright an option may be granted for the sale of the Detroit property.

It is understood that the Bell Telephone Company has a representative watching the trend of events, but it is the wish of the promoters of that company to keep it in independent hands.

BATTLE WITH PISTOLS.

Texas Feudists Engage in a Fight in Which Three Are Killed and Several Wounded.

BELLEVILLE, TEX., Jan. 22.—Early this evening an affray occurred here which resulted in three deaths, the fatal wounding of one and the slight wounding of three others. The dead are: Raymond White, constable at Wallis; Miiam Odom, his half-brother; Henry Dippert, a bystander.

Walter Pennington was shot through the bowels, and Elihu Pennington, Antone Dippert and John Havkvath slightly wounded.

Walter Pennington, under indictment for the murder of J. Odom, a brother of William Odom, and a half-brother of Raymond White, was being tried in the district court and a large number of people came here from Wallis as witnesses, among them the relatives of the deceased. The fight occurred at the railway station. Pennington was the first victim. The two Dipperts were standing together and had no chance to get under cover. Henry was struck by a bullet and dropped dead where he stood. Havkvath was shot while trying to get out of range. When the shooting ceased it was found that White and Odom had been instantly killed. White dying with his pistol cocked and ready to fire.

Denmark Will Sell Islands.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 22.—It has been decided that the treaty with the United States providing for the sale of the Danish West Indies is to be signed at Washington this week. All the formalities here are completed.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. 101vsso

DIED.

ERWIN—Suddenly, on Wednesday, January 22, 1902, at Zellenople, Butler county, Pa., JAMES BARD ERWIN, in the 70th year of his age.

Notice of funeral later.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

MAN AND WIFE to work small farm; gardening and poultry raising. None need apply without experience and best references. Address Box 867, Connellsville, Pa. 123s

Bad Weather Can't Stop It

WEDNESDAY SAW NO LESSENING OF PURCHASERS AT FREDERICK'S

When Genuine Chickering, Hardman, Steinway, Fischer, Kroeger, Krakauer, Decker Bros., Haines & Co., Gildemeister & Kroeger and Other High Grade Pianos, Brand New or Nearly New, Are Offered.

One Hundred to One Hundred and Fifty Dollars Under Regular Prices. People Who Know Good Values Don't Mind the Weather.

Stern necessity compels the great sacrifices that we are making on our entire stock of high grade Pianos. The work of improvement and putting in the new elevator we so much need, requires that we reduce our stock to a mere sample line or store a hundred or so instruments. We prefer to give the people some real surprises in the way of Piano bargains. No store in this city offers so great an array of high grade instruments as we have—exclusive sale of a great list headed by the matchless Chickering. So no wonder the people come from city and town to take advantage, and save hundreds of dollars. Read a few of our offerings to come and see:

Seven Upright Pianos—full size, New York make, ivory keys, guaranteed five years; sell all over at $350.00, go at $128.00 cash or $140.00 on time.

The standard Organs of the world, such as the Mason & Hamlin, the world renowned Estey, are being sold ¼ below regular prices.

A used Cable & Son's Piano, full size, goes for $115.00.

A beautiful genuine Steinway, just like new, perfect condition. This style piano which sells the world over for $850.00 will go for $258.00.

A Chickering that has been used about six years, in fine condition, will be sold for the low price of $210.00.

A Hardman in fair condition, at $190.00.

A Krakauer not used enough to hurt it, at $145.00.

A Decker Bros. square Piano, good condition, goes at $98.00.

Used Uprights as low as $82.00.

Grands of old, reliable makes will go as low as $425.

Used Organs, such as the Estey, Burdett and others, at $15.00 and upwards.

Exclusive agencies for the genuine Chickering, Hardman, Kroeger, Behr Bros., Haines & Co. and ten other makes and Estey Organs.

Frederick's Mammoth Music Store, G. Schroeder, Manager,
633 SMITHFIELD ST. (Entire 6-Story Bldg.), NEAR SEVENTH AVE.

GREATEST OF ALL PHYSICIANS.

Discoverer of Paine's Celery Compound to Whom Thousands Owe Life and Perfect Health.

"Excepting its handful of magnificent statesmen and its military heroes," says the most recent writer upon America, "the people owe more to Dartmouth's physician teacher than to any one man.

"In every walk of life, among the highest officeholders at Washington, in the homes of the best people in the large cities, among the every-day folks of the country, families in comfortable circumstances, families that 'live from hand to mouth,' and could not, if they wished, afford the services of any but an ordinary physician—everywhere I have met people to whom Paine's celery compound has been a blessing."

The story of the life-work of this giant among men has been often told and is familiar to most readers. The likeness above is probably the best portrait of him yet printed.

It was the world famed discovery by Prof. Phelps of an infallible cure for those fearful ills that result from an impaired nervous system and impure blood which has endeared the great doctor to the world, and made his life an era in the practice of medicine.

Prof. Phelps was born in Connecticut and graduated in medicine at Yale.

His unusual talent soon brought him reputation and prominence among his professional brethren. First he was elected to the professorship of anatomy and surgery in the Vermont University. Next he was appointed lecturer on materia medica and medical botany in Dartmouth College. The next year he was chosen professor of the chair then vacated by Prof. Rooby, and occupied the chair, the most important one in the country, at the time when he first formulated his most remarkable prescription.

In view of the overwhelming testimony to the value of Paine's celery compound that has recently appeared from men and women of national reputation, the picture of Prof. Phelps is particularly interesting.

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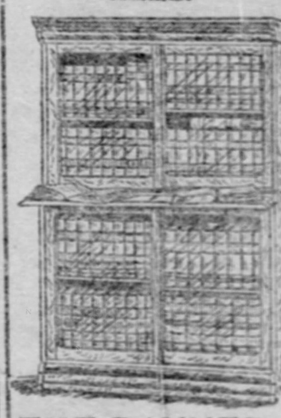

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Citizens Candidates Accept Trust in the Fourteenth Ward.

ISSUES CLEARLY OUTLINED

Platform and Letters of Acceptance from Men Named on Ward Ticket Are Made Public—All Are Glad to Lead Battle Against Machine.

The Citizens party of the Fourteenth ward has issued the platform upon which its candidates will solicit the support of voters in the present campaign. The platform is constructed of strong, well-defined principles, and sets forth clearly the issues involved in the fight against the machine.

Thousands of copies, including letters of acceptance from the candidates, will be distributed throughout the ward.

The platform declares that party considerations should be ignored in local contests, and the best men selected for offices; opposes further bond issues; condemns proposed change of site of Carnegie polytechnic school; favors the selection of city depositories by competition; denounces the abandonment of streets, without compensation to the city; accuses Gov. Stone of having corruptly bargained to restore the "ring" to power in Pittsburgh; favors the erection of the Wilmot street bridge, and invites all public spirited citizens to join the movement for better home government.

A Good Platform.

The platform adopted at a meeting in the Soho school house December 27 is as follows:

Public Men.

First. We believe it to be the duty of all citizens to ignore in local contests party considerations and to select the best men for office, judging them only by their integrity, personal character and general qualifications.

Finances.

Second. We believe in a strict accountability in all public matters, an economic and prudent expenditure of public money, and such management of affairs as obtained in private enterprise.

No Ring.

Third. We oppose as vicious, intolerate and insulting the boss system of government, and protest against the nomination or election of any man in any manner affiliated with the Stone-Flinn combination.

No More Bonds.

Fourth. We oppose further increase of the public debt through artificial inflation of property values, and regard further issue of bonds as a proposition to steal under color of law.

Polytechnic School.

Fifth. We commend the good sense of Hon. Andrew Carnegie in his selection of a site for a polytechnic school, and oppose and condemn proposed purchases of land by politicians for any purpose.

Pure Water.

Sixth. We favor pure water through some approved system modeled after some approved plant, but do not believe in a piecemeal contract at fancy prices when pure water is hoped for from unclean hands.

City Money.

Seventh. We favor as depositories of city money the banks offering the highest rate of interest consistent with safety.

Elevated Railways.

Eighth. We are opposed to elevated railways abutting on residence property and regard them as destructive to value of property, unsightly and unnecessary at this time unless confined to alleyways or unoccupied hillsides.

Streets Not to Be Given Away.

Ninth. We denounce the abandonment of our streets for any purpose and urge that such action be taken relative to those already abandoned as may reclaim them or secure to the city proper compensation for their use.

P. S.—I Was Not Bribed.

Tenth. We believe the present governor, W. A. Stone, to have corruptly bargained to restore the rotten Pittsburgh ring to power and in so doing has merited the same degree of infamy as his corrupt partner, William Flinn.

Wilmot Street Bridge.

Eleventh. We favor, and have favored for ten years, the erection of the Wilmot street bridge leading to Schenley park, and hereby pledge ourselves to vote for no man for councils who does not favor this convenience to our citizens.

Citizens Movement.

Twelfth. We indorse most heartily the large-hearted public spirit resulting in this widespread and successful citizens movement and promise all the help and aid we can give it until the public thieves have either fled the city or abandoned their booty.

Thirteenth. We are in favor of the selection of men for council who will take some measures to abate the ore dust and smoke nuisance which is destroying the value of our property and endangering our lives.

The Candidates.

The following candidates have been nominated on the Citizens ticket in the Fourteenth ward:

For select council—James J. Booth.

For common council—C. Beckert, Jr., Daniel F. Crawford, W. H. Stevenson, John Lanler.

For school directors—Robert Thompson, A. C. Shaw.

For assessor—Henry H. Doyle.

For constable—Henry Cawley.

Acceptances of Nominees.

Letters accepting the nominations have been received from all the nominees. The acceptances follow:

To the President and Nominating Committee of Citizens Meeting, held at Soho School House, December 27, 1901.

Gentlemen: When I retired from business several years ago, after having passed a very active life, I decided to spend the remainder of my days in absolute retirement and the quietness of domestic life, seeking neither prominence nor political honors, but to live the life of an honest and loyal citizen, loyal to my ward, loyal to this good old city of Pittsburgh in which I have spent the greater portion of my life, and doubly loyal to this glorious country of my adoption. To earn and deserve the esteem and respect of my neighbors and fellow citizens has always been my most earnest desire, and, if I have succeeded, I feel that my life has not been spent in vain, and shall consequently feel proud and contented.

By the confidence and partiality of my friends and fellow citizens of the Fourteenth ward at the above meeting, I was suggested and nominated for select council.

Obeys Call to Duty.

Notwithstanding my desire to remain in private life, having no personal axe to grind, or private ends to gain, I feel I cannot longer resist the solicitations of the citizens of my ward to become their candidate for select council, and I therefore notify you, as president of the Citizens meeting, and through you the nominating committee, of my acceptance of the nomination, and I also desire through you to express to the citizens of the ward my sincere thanks for the honor they do me in choosing me as their candidate.

I assure you and them, if they succeed in electing me, my best efforts will be put forth to further the interests of the ward and city.

No vote of mine will ever be cast or recorded for any measure which will be in any manner detrimental to the best interests of the city and its people.

I will not under any circumstances vote for any elevated railway, neither in the downtown district, in any part of the suburbs, nor in any other part of the city. Neither will I favor nor vote for any measure which will permit any steam railroad to occupy and monopolize any of our streets to the detriment of our business men, and comfort and safety of our citizens.

Favors Competition.

I will favor and vote for any measure granting the right of way to any competing surface line or underground railway used for passenger service, when the interests of the city are guarded, and the proper taxation for same adopted and agreed upon.

Franchises which have been recently turned over to one of our powerful combinations at a value of millions of dollars, and which did not cost the original owners one penny, should in all conscience and justice pay into the city treasury a fair proportion of taxes, and I will favor with all my power any measure which can be passed compelling all corporations and street railways to do this.

I am opposed to any further issue of bonds for any purpose, at least for some time to come. We have had a surfeit of bonds issues this while back, and I believe the time has come when they should cease.

Should important measures come before councils at any time during my term of office, I will be only too glad to meet with a committee of citizens, or men from the Oakland board of trade to discuss the matter, and will be governed by their conclusions and instructions.

Position Is Plain.

By the above expression of my sentiments concerning public matters, I think you, Mr. President, and the citizens of the Fourteenth ward, will have a fairly good idea as to where I stand on matters concerning the interests of the city and its people.

In conclusion, I beg to say, and understand there are quite a number of our citizens who are under the impression that I am still interested in the firm of Booth & Flinn, Ltd., that, when I retired from the said firm on the 5th day of January, 1885, the retirement was absolute, leaving me with not one cent of interest in the firm, the retaining of the old name being simply the usual course of procedure with firms or corporations of standing.

Trusting with your support and co-operation, we will succeed in impressing upon the citizens of our ward the necessity of their attending the polls on election day, notwithstanding any conditions of the weather, and be ready to meet the "pay roll contingent" on their own ground, I beg to remain, very truly yours,

JAMES J. BOOTH.

His Fourth Time.

Mr. William J. Moore, President Citizens Association Fourteenth Ward, of the City of Pittsburgh:

Accepting for the fourth time the nomination for common council, I am impressed with a sincere obligation in the confidence reposed in me, and a just sense of the duties involved by the continued confidence of the citizens of the ward. The duties imposed by an election are greater than in the past, as responsibilities arise in the development of the city of Pittsburgh, which require serious consideration and the most careful and correct judgment in the fulfillment of the trust imposed by the citizens in the officers of the councils of the city.

Present conditions in public traffic assume a character to be seriously considered in the future comfort and welfare of our people. The transportation of the public in safety, economy and comfort of all the people presents a problem for the general good of vast moment, the brief time given is not sufficient to comprehend the requirement of public sentiment and the best interest of the city of Pittsburgh.

For People's Interests.

I assume the duty imposed by an election consists in the concensus of public opinion and a faithful discharge of the duties involved in the welfare of the community, resting entirely upon the demand of public sentiment. I shall pursue a conservative, conscientious course in the discharge of all duties imposed, relying upon a faithful regard for the citizens of the ward, and the general good of all concerned shall guide me in the future as in the past in the duties of the office.

The provision of pure water for the use of the citizens of the city of Pittsburgh is a question of paramount importance and should be provided at the least possible expense to the taxpayers and consumers, nothing more or less than the economic outlay of a necessary amount of money for the purpose intended.

Taxation should be sufficient for the payment of all necessary expenses in conducting the various departments of the city government in economic and reasonable expenditure of money provided by the taxpayers. The various departments of the government of the city should be controlled and managed in the interest of the people. Thanking you again for the confidence reposed in me by a renomination, I remain very sincerely,

C. BECKERT, JR.

Pleased at Nomination.

W. J. Moore, Esq., Chairman Citizens Committee, Fourteenth Ward, City of Pittsburgh:

Dear Sir: I am pleased to learn that a body of citizens of the Fourteenth ward, bent upon securing a more economical, responsible and accountable government of the city of Pittsburgh, have seen fit to select me as one of their candidates for the office of common councilman to represent the Fourteenth ward in the councils of the city of Pittsburgh; and I therefore deem it my duty to accept this mark of favor and consideration by the Citizens' party and pledge myself to co-operate, if elected to councils, with the friends of good government and personally support every measure, the purpose of which is the promotion of the public welfare. As a Democrat and a citizen I approve the principles and policies enunciated by the Citizens party. Very respectfully yours,

D. F. CRAWFORD.

Without Fear or Favor.

Gentlemen:

I accept the nomination as candidate for common council tendered me by the citizens of the Fourteenth ward, and wish to express my appreciation of the honor conferred. Should I be elected your representative I will perform the duties devolving upon me without fear or favor. Respectfully yours,

WM. H. STEVENSON.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 11, 1902.

To the Citizens of the Fourteenth Ward:

I thank you for the honor you have conferred on me by placing my name on the Citizens ticket for common council, and I promise, if elected, I will vote for no measure that is not for the city's good nor will I follow any clique or any one man. I will try to be your representative in fact. Respectfully, JOHN LANLER.

W. J. Moore, Esq., President of Citizens Committee:

Dear sir—I desire to thank you and your committee for the confidence shown in me by a nomination on your ticket for the office of school director. I am heartily in favor of the present attempt to get a better governing power for our city, and if elected will do all in my power to further the idea of a better and more businesslike carrying on of the position for which I have been nominated. Yours very truly, ROBERT THOMPSON.

Fight to Finish.

W. J. Moore, Esq., President of Citizens Committee:

Dear sir—I thank you, and through you the Citizens committee, for the honor of a nomination on the Citizens ticket for the office of school director in the Fourteenth ward. The present movement for better government has my unqualified approval, and if elected, will endeavor, so far as lays in my powers or opportunities, to assist in a clean and business-like administration of the office. Yours most respectfully, A. C. SHAW.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 12, 1902.

W. J. Moore, Esq., President of Citizens Committee:

I thank you for the nomination for constable for the Fourteenth ward. I will stick and do all I can to help the ticket. Yours truly, HENRY CAWLEY.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 13, 1902.

W. J. Moore:

Dear sir—Having been notified by your committee that I have been selected for ward assessor on the Citizens ticket, allow me to say, that being heartily in sympathy with this movement, I, therefore, accept the nomination, and will do my utmost for the success of the whole ticket. Thanking the committee for the confidence reposed in me I will, if elected, endeavor to give satisfaction to the citizens of the Fourteenth ward. Yours respectfully, HENRY H. DOYLE.

QUAY DINES KNOX.

Nearly All the Pennsylvania Delegation Present at the Feast.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Senator Quay gave an elegantly appointed dinner tonight in honor of Attorney General Knox. Invited to meet the guest of honor were Senator Penrose, Representatives Bingham, Adams, Morrell, Young, Foerderer and Burke of Philadelphia; Butler of West Chester; Wanger of Norristown; Mutchler of Easton; Green of Reading; Cassel of Marietta; Connell of Scranton; Palmer of Wilkesbarre; Patterson of Ashland; Olmsted of Harrisburg; Wright of Susquehanna; Grow of Glenwood; Deemer of Williamsport; Polk of Danville; Mahon of Chambersburg; Lewis of York; Evans of Ebensburg; Jack of Indiana; Dalzell of Pittsburgh; Graham of Allegheny; Acheson of Washington; Showalter of Butler; Bates of Meadville; Sibley of Franklin and Hall of Ridgway; Clerk McDowell of the house and Col. W. E. Wright, private secretary to the host of the evening.

All accepted and were present except Adams and Dalzell, who had made prior engagements; Grow, who was afraid to venture out in the night air at his advanced age, and Hall, who was detained at his home in Ridgway because of the illness of Mrs. Hall. The rooms were handsomely decorated in palms and smilax, while American Beauty roses adorned the tables.

Lazy Liver

When the liver goes wrong, everything is wrong. You have dyspepsia, coated tongue, constipation, biliousness, sick headache, nausea, general debility. One of Ayer's Pills each night, just one, gently starts the liver and removes all trouble.

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THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, 903 Fifteenth St., N. W. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.

President Roosevelt today appointed Prof. Samuel McCune Lindsay commissioner of education of Porto Rico. Prof. Lindsay is assistant professor of sociology at the University of Pennsylvania. He studied abroad for several years and took graduate work at the universities of Halle, Berlin, Vienna, Rome and Paris.

Prof. Lindsay is a native of Pittsburgh, where he was born in 1869. He graduated in 1889 from the University of Pennsylvania. He was editor of the Pennsylvanian. Among his more important works are "Social Work at the Kropp Foundries," "Royal Relief Work," "The Study and Teaching of Sociology," "Railway Labor in the United States" and "Railway Employes of the United States."

The president also appointed George P. Dunham of Ohio to be a deputy auditor. His previous appointment was recalled by the president because Mr. Dunham has always been an avowed enemy of Senator Foraker. Yesterday Mr. Foraker was at the White House, accompanied by Representative Hildebrand of Ohio, a nephew of Mr. Dunham. The senator told President Roosevelt that after looking the matter over he had no objection to Dunham's nomination, and the president informed the senator that the nomination would be made immediately.

After Senator Foraker and Mr. Hildebrand had brought the matter to the president's attention Mr. Roosevelt said he desired to see Mr. Dunham, and later the three were at the White House together. The president talked very freely to Mr. Dunham, and assured him that if the nomination were made and confirmed by the senate no abusive language regarding Senator Foraker or of any senator or any of his (the president's) friends would be tolerated. The warning to Mr. Dunham was very emphatic.

Senator Scott of West Virginia waited at the White House some time today and was joined by Senator Elkins, who has been to the White House so seldom recently that the president had expressed a desire to know who he was. When the two went into the president's room Senator Scott, who is on most cordial terms with the chief executive, said:

"Mr. President, allow me the pleasure of introducing Senator Elkins."

The president laughed heartily, expressed pleasure at meeting so well-known a man, and wound up by saying that as both were better acquainted he hoped Senator Elkins would call often.

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

ARMOR STANDS THE TEST.

Treasury of Carnegie Company Richer by $350,000 After the Shots.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—At the government proving grounds, Indian Head, this afternoon 700 tons of Carnegie armor plate successfully passed the ballistic test. The group was accepted by the government and the treasury of the Carnegie company is about $350,000 richer than it was before the test. The plate tested, representing a group of side armor for the battleship Missouri, was 192 inches long, 90 inches wide and tapered from 7½ to 11 inches in thickness. It was attacked by a 10-inch gun firing armor-piercing projectiles, at striking velocities of 1,715, 1,735 and 1,770 feet respectively. All three of the projectiles struck the plate fairly, failed to crack it in the least, and the average penetration was but four inches. It was a splendid showing for Carnegie armor plate.

The test was witnessed by Lieut. Davis of the ordnance bureau, Lieut. McVay, government inspector at Homestead, Lieut. Stone, agent of the Carnegie company in this city, and W. R. Balsinger and J. S. Unger of the Carnegie company at Homestead.

IRRIGATION IN THE WAY.

Likely to Kill the Proposed River and Harbor Measure in Congress.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Friends of the river and harbor bill are not so sanguine of its passing congress as they were six months ago. There are two threatening dangers ahead. One is that the western senators will insist on making provisions for the irrigation of arid lands, which provision defeated the bill in the last congress; and the other is that the bill will carry such a large appropriation that President Roosevelt will be forced to veto it.

If the rivers and harbors committee gives all that has been asked by the various state delegations that have been heard and will be heard between now and the 25th inst., when the hearing will close, the bill will carry something like $75,000,000, which amount, however, may be cut by the house. What the senate will do to it no one can tell. The fate of the bill will depend on the action taken by the western senators after the measure reaches that body.

POSTAL MATTERS.

Col. W. A. Krebs a Candidate for Postmaster at Greenville, Pa.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—W. A. Krebs of Greenville, formerly colonel of the Fifteenth regiment of the Pennsylvania national guard, desires to be appointed postmaster at Greenville and was here today looking after his chances. The term of the present incumbent does not expire for a year. The salary of the office is $2,200 a year.

Representative Bates has recommended the appointment of W. E. Brown as postmaster at Linesville, Crawford county, Pa., at $1,400 a year.

Representative Jack has recommended the establishment of a new postoffice at Wehrum, Indiana county, with Clarence E. Clayborn as postmaster.

Representative Dovener has secured the establishment of a new postoffice at Sherwood, Doddridge county, W. Va., with Ephraim B. Sherwood as postmaster. He has also secured the establishment on March 1 of a rural delivery of mail route from Tridelphia, Ohio county, W. Va.

These Pennsylvania postmasters were appointed today: Farmington Center, Thorn county, Arvilla Stevens; Latrobe, Clearfield county, Emma K. Lahrd.

An additional rural delivery route will be established March 1 at Franklin, Venango county, with Thomas G. Wyant as carrier.

The postoffice at Wallaceburg, Armstrong county, Pa., will be discontinued January 31, and the mail sent thereafter to Kittanning.

E. W. Grove This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day 25 cents

Insist on having a Shopping Card.

Weather—Cloudy.

JOSEPH HORNE CO.

Thursday, Jan. 23, 1902.

Meals in the Restaurant any time.

A Great Two Days' Sale—Friday and Saturday—of Surplus Stocks.

The fiscal year of this store ends the 31st of January, and we now begin taking account of stock. There are 60 stock rooms in the upper floors of the new annex, and notwithstanding the extraordinary heavy buying clear through this clearance month of January, we still have something like $200,000 worth of surplus merchandise that has no business to go on the stock sheets. As a matter of fact it will not.

We Propose to Sacrifice it.

Sacrifice means much more in a store like this than the common commercial use of the word. It means that Linens and Woolens, Silks and Cottons, Laces and Trimmings, Hosiery, Lace Curtains, Bedding, Housefurnishings and a multiplicity of other things that can be utilized at present,

Can Be Bought for the Most Insignificant of Low Prices.

The goods are not on sale today. We are spending the interim going through the 60 stock rooms and picking out the most pleasing things for tomorrow's and Saturday's crowds of interested economical people that are sure to be here.

Brief hints are enough to insure a big attendance.

Surplus Albatross, 45c a Yard.

One thousand yards in evening shades, comprised of fine all wool 60c and 65c Albatross. To further add to the interest of this offer, we announce at the same price,

45c a Yard,

eight hundred yards, in assorted styles, of all wool mixed Suitings and plain Cheviots—street colors and black, that formerly sold for 75c a yard.

Surplus of 6,000 yards of Melrose Raye Fancy Waist Cloths—pretty effects in color combinations, also plain colors—the regular prices being 65c and 75c—reduced to 50c a yard.

Satin Striped Challis, 28c Yard.

From stock room to counter, 4,400 yards of fine Satin Stripe Challis, in the neatest and most beautiful of printings.

Just think what satin stripe challis usually sells for.

Surplus Linings.

Dressmakers will have most interest in this, but women who make their own dresses will also be interested.

Surplus lot of 2,100 yards of absolutely fast black Chased Percaline, stainless, and of a permanent finish, will be sold tomorrow for 7½c a yard. The former price was 12½c.

Surplus Lots of Cottons

in the Wash Goods department of the basement.

English Long Cloth for fine Underwear—cut in pieces of 12 yards—surplus of 100 pieces to sell for 80c per piece.

Surplus of 100 pieces of a finer grade of English Long Cloth—cut 12 yards to the piece—sold for $1.35—tomorrow, $1 for the piece.

Two thousand yards of twilled Black Satine, the very thing for underskirts and linings—a 12½c grade for 5c a yard.

One thousand yards of Black Satine Crepe of finest quality—always sells for 15c—tomorrow, 7½c a yard.

Handkerchiefs in Packages of 6, 25c a Package.

All pure Irish Linen, and hemstitched at that.

Price too low to sell a single handkerchief.

So we say 25c for the half dozen.

Another surplus lot of Women's Handkerchiefs—sold 3 in a package. An extra quality of all pure linen hemstitched goods—imported by us direct from Belfast. Kind that we have sold underprice for 18c—tomorrow in packages of 3 for 25c the package.

Surplus Lots in the Notion Department.

Staple things needed every day.

Needle Books filled with 5 papers of English Needles and 12 assorted sizes of crewel and embroidery needles. Take them for 10c the book.

Collar Canvas, in lengths suitable for collars, any width—in black, white and gray, 1c each.

Hooks and Eyes—in packages of 1 gross—sold by the package only. Black or white, in sizes 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6; springs, humps, bent bills, straight bills. The price is 8c a package.

Surplus Lots of Flannels and Flannelettes.

Every woman is interested in Flannels—more so when such prices as these are quoted:

2,000 yards of double fold Flannelette for wrappers and kimonas—a regular 15c quality for 7½c a yard.

4,000 yards of fleece lined Flannelettes—10c and 12½c qualities—are sacrificed at 5c a yard.

2,000 yards of finest printed French Flannels—all colors and choice styles—the 60c and 70c qualities for 25c a yard.

Silk Embroidered Waist Flannels—the grades that sold for $1.50, $1.75 and $2 a yard—sacrificed at 50c a yard.

Women's Dress and Walking Skirts, $5.

Sold for $10 and $12.

A surplus lot in the Women's Suit department, second floor. There are pleasing colors and black.

Surplus Lot of Cotton Shirtwaist Suits

that should have been sold long ago—only some 25 or 30 of them.

Formerly the prices were $10 and $12.50.

Think $5 each will move them quick.

They're women's shirtwaist suits.

Torchon Laces, 2c Yard.

A surplus lot that formerly sold for 5c and 10c. The price is almost too ridiculous to mention.

Half Marked Prices

for surplus lots of Silver plated and Sterling Silver ware.

Half Prices and Less

for surplus lots of Jewelry. Many desirable pieces both for Women and Men.

Half the Marked Price

for surplus lots of up-to-date Pictures. Choice subjects prettily framed. Only one and two of a kind.

Surplus Lots of Corsets.

The reduced prices on these constitute a range beginning with 40c and running along to $10 a pair.

In between there is a great lot of reduced prices.

As a matter of fact, some of the prices are less than half—for instance, the $10 corsets sold for $25 a pair.

All the foreign and domestic makes are represented.

In the Millinery Rooms.

Surplus stock of Millinery is brought down to very narrow prices. Specimens:

Trimmed Hats for $1—women's—that sold for $3.50 and $5.00.

Ready-to-wear Golf Hats for 25c that sold for $1.50 and $2.00.

Children's School Hats for 5c that sold for 50c and 75c. Women's untrimmed Hats that sold for 75c and $1.

Flowers with which to trim the Hats, 5c a bunch—sold for 50c and 75c.

Women's Fancy Cotton Hose, 11c a Pair.

The greatest news item we ever wrote. 1,980 pairs of these stockings—some having sold for 25c, others for 35c a pair.

Newest printings—red, blue and black grounds with contrasting color effects.

And only 11c a pair!

Surplus Lots of Knit Underwear

for Women and Children.

It is never good policy to buy a thing you have no use for just because it is cheap; but there is a case where, if you already have a full supply of underwear, there is money saved by purchasing and laying away for next season.

Children's black wool Vests—sizes 2 to 8—half prices. Former prices were from 60c to $1.20, according to size of vest.

Women's Black Union Suits for $2—formerly sold for $3.75.

Women's White Merino Drawers and Vests for 50c—formerly sold for 75c.

Women's Black Wool Vests for $1.50—formerly sold for $2.50.

Surplus Lots of Men's Furnishings.

The big store in the Annex comes forward with this good news for men—

Silk Mufflers for 50c that sold for $1 and $1.25; for 75c that sold for $1.50, $1.75, $2; for $1.00 that sold for $1.50 and up to $4; for $2 that sold for $4.50.

Underwear—surplus lots of Merino, heavy Balbriggan, Wool and Fleece Lined Undergarments—$1 grades for 75c, the $1.50 grades for $1; Linen Mesh Undergarments that sold for $2.50 sacrificed at $1.

Nightshirts of good heavy Flannelette—full size and well made—for 40c.

In the Toy Department.

Here's an opportunity for amusing children with the cost put down to the minimum.

Surplus lots of Toys at 1c.
Surplus lots of Toys at 2c.
Surplus lots of Toys at 5c.
Surplus lots of Toys at 10c.
Surplus lots of Toys at 25c.

Some of the above Toys sold for 10c—in the majority of cases twenty times 10 cents.

Surplus Taffeta Silk, 58c Yard.

Five thousand yards—just the same kind that usually sells for 75c—sometimes a bit more.

19 inches wide. A bright lustrous soft finish silk in all the leading colorings, including white and ivory.

Plain Crepe de Chine, 68c a Yard.

A surplus lot of 24-inch goods that formerly sold for $1.

1,200 yards—all the leading colorings, including white and black.

Dress Trimmings for Half Prices.

Surplus lots of Appliques and Beltings.

Colored Appliques—quite a range of colors—1¼ inches wide—50c for goods that sold for $1 a yard.

Surplus lots of Corded, Taffeta, Satin and Rubber Beltings—1 inch to 3½ inches wide—the 50c grade for 25c a yard; the $1 grade for 50c, and so on.

Surplus Stocks in the Curtain and Drapery Department.

Some of the finest pick-ups of the sale in this fourth floor department.

Surplus lot of finest grade of printed Silkoline—sold for 12½c—at 5c a yard.

All the 18c a yard Cretonne will be sold for 8c a yard.

All the 25c a yard Printed Art Tickings and Cretonne will be sold for 15c a yard.

A surplus lot of Tapestry Portieres that sold for $5.50 will be sold for $2.50 a pair. Another lot that sold for $10 will be sold for $6 a pair.

A surplus lot of real Renaissance Lace Bed Sets will be marked half prices—$18 sets for $9, the $25 sets for $12.50, $35 sets for $16.50.

Surplus lots of fine Lace Curtains are to be sold, the $43 grade for $21 a pair, the $25 grade for $12.50 a pair, the $18 grade for $9 a pair.

Three surplus lots of fine all-over Embroidered Curtain Muslins—36, 40 and 50 inches wide, with ruffled edge, heretofore selling for 70c, 85c and 95c a yard—will be literally sacrificed at 50c a yard.

50-Inch Wide Suitings, 78c Yard.

Eight hundred yards of a surplus of Suiting Tweeds that sold for $1.25 a yard. Blue, brown, gray and the always popular Oxford mixtures.

Surplus lots of Elegant Long Wraps for Women.

A splendid opportunity to possess something exceedingly handsome for a small amount is given those who visit the Wrap Department of the second floor tomorrow.

Full length garment of brown broadcloth, yoke back and front, finished with stitching; groups of pinch tucks running from yoke back and front; bell shaped sleeves, turn-back cuffs, large collar and revers of brown marten. This garment is lined with white satin and interlined with elderdown. Former price was $100—tomorrow $65 buys it.

Long black velour wrap, full box back, loose front, bell shaped sleeves. This garment has high flaring collar and large revers edged with brown marten, and edging of fur running down both sides of front. It is lined with black satin. Former price was $85—tomorrow $60 buys it.

Long evening wrap of red broadcloth with collar and revers of gray fox. It is lined throughout with red satin. This garment has military cape extending below waist line. The cape is lined with lining of self color. Former price was $100—tomorrow $50 buys it.

Handsome long wrap of black peau de soie, half-fitting back, double-breasted box front. This garment has revers and collar of Persian lamb. All the seams are finished with stitched bands of peau de soie. It is lined throughout with white satin. Former price was $135—tomorrow $65 buys it.

A beautiful carriage wrap—usable also for evening wear—of light weight black kersey. Made full box back and loose front. It is trimmed with bands of cloth edged with black panne velvet. Very large collar and cuffs of Persian Lamb, inlaid with narrow bands of cloth. Entirely lined with white satin. Former price was $200—tomorrow $125 buys it.

An evening wrap—light tan broadcloth, half fitting box back. Fronts are loose, and they are finished with deep facing of stitched velvet to match cloth. Large collar. Cuffs are finished with velvet. Lined throughout with self colored satin.

In the above we give only a few of the garments in the surplus lots. All have an equal reduction.

PENN AND FIFTH.

GOLD DEMOCRATS NEEDED IN PARTY REORGANIZATION

Ex-Lieut. Gov. Black Says Reunion Is Necessary to Success.

SILVER A SIDE ISSUE

Former State Official Gives His Views as to the Policy of Future Campaigns—Would Follow Bryan Again Without Hesitation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHESTER, PA., Jan. 22.—Ex-Lieutenant-Governor Chauncey F. Black has written a letter to Samuel Fetters, H. B. Schofield and others of Chester and Delaware counties in reply to a joint letter sent by them to Mr. Black, asking his advice as to reorganizing the Democratic party of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Black in his letter treats the subject at considerable length. In part he says:

You ask me how the Democratic party may be best organized to accomplish those great public and patriotic objects for which it exists. I answer that if we would succeed in the immediate future, the party must be organized so as to include within its ranks all those who adhere to democratic principles of government in general. Nothing could be more unwise, perhaps fatal, than the reckless and useless perpetuation of recent differences.

Silver Not a Vital Issue.

I suppose you, being straight Democrats, supported Mr. Bryan and those great declarations of human rights—the Chicago and Kansas City platforms—with all the fervor of which we are capable. But there were some Democrats, most of them as honest as we, who magnified the silver question into a vital issue and who, therefore, disagreeing with us, our platforms and our candidates, assisted directly or indirectly to put the imperialist party into power.

They have realized their error. They see the republic transformed into an empire. They see the constitution disregarded; the government administered in the interest of a class; the money power omnipotent; the congress voting for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many; gigantic industrial combinations flourishing unopposed, and a European colonial system established instead of our familiar and excellent American territorial system, with the mighty military and naval armaments required to support it.

Democrats Are Sorry.

Those Democrats who were misled by false and corrupt clamor into helping to bring on this condition of things are heartily sick and sorry. They are quite able to see now that even if bimetallism had been really the menace to commercial prosperity which it was represented to be, it was a mere trifle in comparison with the transformation of our republican government, which has taken place and is taking place. The limited or unlimited coinage of silver was a question of mere economy or expediency. It was not a constitutional question. It did not touch the rights or liberties of our people. Democrats might differ about it with perfect freedom. A mistake about it could easily be corrected.

Those, therefore, who left the Democratic party because of it left without personal provocation; and we, the nearly 7,000,000 of Democrats who remain faithful, must be careful that we do not incur a like guilt by continuing to exclude them for differences of opinion upon an altogether minor matter. We want them all back.

Would Follow Bryan Again.

None of us who supported the Chicago and Kansas City platforms and followed with joy and pride that glorious tribune of the common people of America, W. J. Bryan, feel the smallest sense of regret for our action in those days which tried men's souls. We would gladly do the same again. But for the present the issue is overcast. The gold standard has won. The crime is complete.

Continuing directly on the question of organization he maintains that "there is no organization so perfectly adapted to the work as that of popular clubs or democratic societies," and concludes: "Against the combined monopolies of the country the club affords the only support to the individual voter."

HERBERT IN WASHINGTON.

All Leaders in Official and Diplomatic Society Greet the Orchestra.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The Pittsburgh Symphony orchestra gave its first concert of the season here this afternoon under the leadership of Victor Herbert to one of the finest audiences ever assembled in this city. All of the leaders in official, residential and diplomatic life eagerly left their awaiting dinners, teas and receptions to be on hand. Among the patronesses of the function were Ambassador and Lady Pauncefote of the British embassy, the German ambassador, the Mexican ambassador and Mme. Aspiroz, Secretary and Mrs. Root; Attorney General and Mrs. Knox, Secretary and Mrs. Hitchcock; the Chief Justice and Mrs. Fuller, the Speaker and Mrs. Henderson, Senator and Mrs. Hanna, Senator and Mrs. Elkins, the Chinese minister and Mme. Wu, Gen. and Mrs. Miles, Representative and Mrs. Dalzell and Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse.

It was an appreciative audience and every number was enthusiastically encored. The second concert of the series will be given on March 5.

GALLERIES OPEN SOON.

The Permanent Art Exhibition at Carnegie Institute May Be Seen Feb. 1.

The Carnegie art galleries will again be thrown open to the public on Saturday, February 1, after having been closed a month to remove the pictures that were hung for the sixth annual exhibition. The first official announcement of the opening date was made yesterday afternoon.

The last of the pictures which formed the exhibition were removed from the galleries yesterday, when work was begun cleaning the galleries in preparation for the hanging of the permanent collection which will be placed on view. The addition to the permanent collection of the prize-winning pictures at this year's exhibition has been made, and another work of art which was much admired by Pittsburghers, Edwin Austin Abbey's "The Penance of Eleanor, Duchess of Gloucester," has been purchased.

Besides the pictures to be placed on exhibition, the permanent collection of sculpture and bronze and plaster casts will also be shown in the galleries. Special attention is being paid to the hanging of the pictures for the exhibition, which will last for several months. Following the exhibition of the permanent collection several loan exhibitions will be placed in the galleries during the present year.

GLASS PLANT CHANGES HANDS.

Sansparell Company the Former and R. Johnston Present Owner.

HARTFORD CITY, IND., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—R. Johnston today purchased the flint factory of the Sansparell Glass Company of this city. The consideration was $14,000. The concern was capitalized at $30,000, and for the past year, owing to the ruinous prices prevailing in the flint market, the plant has been idle.

It is one of the largest flint houses in the state and will go into operation at once. Mr. Johnston is a window glass manufacturer of national reputation.

M. Cambon Toasts the President.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 22.—The annual banquet of the state bar association was held at the Ten Eyck tonight. M. Jules Cambon, the French ambassador, responded to the toast, "The President of the United States."

A rolling stone gathers no moss; it's the dollars you put away in a secure place where they will earn interest that grow to greatness. The Pittsburgh Bank for Savings, Smithfield street, opposite postoffice, pays 4 per cent interest compounded every six months. This is the bank that has over ten million dollars on deposit and over 30,000 depositors. Write for book on banking by mail, No. 28.

WOMEN BEATEN WITH POKER--OHIO BLIZZARD

TWO WOMEN BEATEN WITH A POKER AT AKRON

INJURIES MAY BE FATAL

Wife and Aged Mother-in-Law Are Victims of a Husband's Fury.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

AKRON, O., Jan. 22.—Two defenseless women were terribly beaten in this city this afternoon. The result may be the death of one of the women, and from the condition of the other, serious developments are feared. James O. Blakesley was the assailant, and his wife, Mrs. Hattie Blakesley, and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Olive Ingersoll, were the victims. Blakesley formerly lived in Akron, but six months ago the couple separated, and since that time he has lived in Cleveland, where he worked as a carpenter. Several times he had attempted to persuade his wife to return to him, but she has steadfastly refused.

Today Blakesley went to the home of his wife here at 116 St. Clair street. He talked quietly and apparently in a friendly way with the two women. When he rose to go he asked his wife to go with him. On her refusal, Blakesley seized a heavy poker and struck both his wife and her mother, beating them over the head in a terrible manner.

Leaving both women insensible, he ran to the home of Dr. Stuman, where he informed him of what he had done, saying he would go at once to police headquarters. He then disappeared. Up to a late hour tonight he has not been found.

Mrs. Ingersoll is nearly 70 years old and very feeble. Her skull is fractured, and there is little hope of her recovery. Mrs. Blakesley's scalp is torn almost from her head.

POLITICIANS ARE ANGRY.

Republicans Claim Congressman Tayler's Friends Have Taken Unfair Advantage.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The action of the Republican county committee of Columbiana county in declaring that all candidates must enter for the nominations before January 25, has caused a protest to go up from the Republicans who have been confidently expecting to have a nominee from Mahoning to succeed the Hon. R. M. Tayler, as congressman from this district. They claim that this will effectually shut out all candidates who might desire to enter the race.

The Hon. B. F. Wirt, state senator from Mahoning and Trumbull, who has his eye on the congressional nomination, has voiced his protest against such action, declaring that it is unfair.

Bought by James S. Kuhn.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—James S. Kuhn of Pittsburgh, instead of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, is the reputed purchaser of the combined plants of the Pittsburgh & Baltimore Coal Company, Schoenberger Coal Company, Crescent Coal Company and Ella Coal Company. The holdings of the company comprise 3,000 acres of land, between the Baltimore & Ohio and Pennsylvania railroads, back of Irwin. It is rumored that Mr. Kuhn purchased the mines for the United States Steel Corporation.

SCENE OF DESOLATION.

Town of Chilpancingo, Razed by an Earthquake, May Rise on Another Site.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 22.—Subscriptions are being taken up here among American and British residents for the victims of the earthquake at Chilpancingo. Further details of the casualties report that three women were crushed to death in the church at Chilapa, while they were engaged in their devotions.

One woman at the first tremor ran to the door, hoping to escape, but was caught beneath the church tower as it fell. Fortunately a large portion of the population were in the main plaza at the time of the shock, watching a tight rope performance. Advices from Chilpansingo represent that Gov. Mora and family are living in a stable, which has been converted into a temporary dwelling. He offers $30,000 as a personal contribution for rebuilding the city. Many people are reported to have gone insane as a result of the horrors of the catastrophe and from loss of relatives and friends. It is now proposed to rebuild the city on another site.

The Presbyterian missionaries, George Johnson and Walter H. Semple, both of Philadelphia, whose headquarters are at Chilpancingo, fortunately were away at the time of the disaster.

WANT STATE FUNDS TO TEACH FORESTRY

State Board of Agriculture Would Establish School on Reservation.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 22.—The Pennsylvania state board of agriculture convened today in this city and will continue in session until tomorrow evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Gov. Stone; vice presidents, H. V. White of Bloomsburg, William F. Beck of Easton, Joel A. Herr of Peters Mills; executive committee, M. N. Clark of Claridge, A. J. Kahler of Hughesville, H. G. McGowan of Geigers Mills, W. H. Stout of Pine Grove, H. C. Snavely of Lebanon and Jason Sexton of North Wales.

A resolution was offered by State Forestry Commissioner J. T. Rothrock, which was adopted, that the legislature be required to furnish funds requisite for the establishment of a training school of elementary forestry at Graffonsburg, Adams county, where on state reservation the pupils may by work done on state forests earn what it costs the commonwealth to board, clothe and educate them, provided the pupils furnish bond to repay the state what it costs to educate them if they fail on examination or are discharged for misconduct.

MASONS RAISING FUNDS FOR M'KINLEY MEMORIAL

Committee Has Secured $16,000 in Ohio and Will Canvass the Entire Country.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CANTON, O., Jan. 22.—The Masonic committee of the McKinley National Memorial association, which is carrying on the work of canvassing the Masonic lodges of the entire country, from its office in Canton, is attracting considerable attention among the trustees of the national association. If the present rate of contributions continues it is believed by the memorial association that the Masonic fund will attain larger proportions than that of any single organization.

At the meeting of the trustees of the McKinley National Memorial association held in Cleveland, it was given out that the contributions from the lodges in the state alone would amount to $16,000.

MORE MEEK SUBPOENAS.

Gathers Another Crop of Big Republican Witnesses for His Libel Suit—Elkin's Address.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Insurance Commissioner I. W. Durham, his private secretary, Capt. J. Clayton Erb, and other Republican leaders were subpoenaed today in the libel case of Harris vs. Meek, which will be tried at Clearfield early in February. Ex-State Senator P. C. Meek and his press agent, John F. Short, arrived here this morning.

Mr. Meek secured service on Representatives Voorhees, Stulb, Reed and Ward Bliss of Delaware county.

Attorney General John P. Elkin spent the day here. Friends of Mr. Elkin intimate that he would shortly issue an "Address to the People," in which would be embraced all that he desires to say in advance of the Republican state convention.

Beatty Merchant Robbed.

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 22.—Last night when Charles Gregory, a merchant at Beatty, was about to close his store he was confronted by two masked men with drawn revolvers who ordered him to throw up his hands. He promptly complied and they searched his clothes, securing $200. They then went through the store and carried away about $50 worth of goods. No clue has been obtained as to who the highwaymen are.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 22.—Charters were issued by the state department today to the following corporations: Carnegie Mill & Lumber Company, Carnegie, capital $25,000; Fleischman Distilling Company, Pittsburgh, capital $25,000; Waynesburg Transfer Company, Waynesburg, capital $25,000.

Railroad Strike at Washington.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—The Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern shopmen and section hands inaugurated a strike today, by order of the American Federation of Labor. The cause was the discharge ten days ago of 30 shopmen, nearly all of whom are union men, who were active in the railway strike last fall.

Joseph Jefferson Gives, $100.

CANTON, O., Jan. 22.—President Day of the McKinley National Memorial association has received from Joseph Jefferson, the actor, a check for $100 to be added to the memorial fund.

OHIO TROLLEY CARS LOST IN RAGING BLIZZARD

FUNERAL SNOW BOUND

Storm Prostrates Electric Lines and Blockades Country Roads.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

KENT, O., Jan. 22.—Portage county is in the throes of a blizzard that may equal the great storm of last April. A blinding snowstorm has raged for three days. No electric cars on the Akron, Kent & Ravenna line have run since Tuesday afternoon, when two cars loaded with passengers became lost in high snowdrifts in Stowe township. The passengers have been taken out, but the cars are buried from sight. All country roads leading to Kent are blocked. A funeral procession four miles northwest of Kent became stranded in a snowdrift this afternoon. Several carriages were overturned in an effort to get out. Horses floundered in the snow and occupants of the vehicles were panic-stricken. Scores of accidents are reported from attempts to traverse the blockaded roads.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Reports from Springfield and other points along the summit of the Alleghanies tell of the deepest snowfall this season. The snow did not start there until after last midnight, and 10 inches fell in eight hours. Tonight there is almost 16 inches of snow and a strong wind has drifted it so that the mountain roads are in many places impassable. In the Youghiogheny region there is about four inches of snow and the fall continues. Traffic on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad has been more or less handicapped. The Connellsville & Pittsburgh division is crowded with freight, crews are scarce and the trains are moving slowly.

ASHTABULA, O., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—A blizzard is raging throughout this section. The snow is badly drifted and street cars are operating with difficulty. The first car on the Pennsylvania & Ohio lines did not get through to Ashtabula from Conneaut, a distance of 15 miles, until the middle of the afternoon.

Has Changed His Creed.

MANSFIELD, O., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Robert B. Maxwell, head of the drygoods firm of R. B. Maxwell & Co., has caused considerable surprise by a letter which he has sent to many of the prominent members of the United Presbyterian church of which he has been a member of years, announcing his withdrawal from membership. He says he can no longer hold to the doctrine of eternal torment.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA.—The 4-year-old child of Harry McLaughlin, a machinist, was burned to death here. Its clothing ignited from a gas stove.

GREENSBURG, PA.—Johnston McCormick, a shoemaker of Mt. Pleasant, hanged himself in his shop yesterday. He was 55 years old, and leaves a family.

TORONTO, O.—Dr. George B. Arnold, aged 87 years, unmarried, died here from the effects of a stroke of paralysis, received while attending the Columbus Medical college.

WARREN, O.—H. B. Ramey, special pension examiner for Northern Ohio, with headquarters here, has resigned to engage with the Warren Electric and Specialty Company.

READING, PA.—The plant of the American Match Company, F. F. Laidel, president, was burned here yesterday. The origin of fire was due to sparks. Loss, $25,000, covered by insurance.

GREENSBURG, PA.—I. H. Goebel of Jeannette, a second cousin of the late Gov. Goebel of Kentucky, was killed by an engine in West Jeannette. He was 32 years old, and leaves a widow and two children.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA.—John S. Farr, prominently known politically in Southern West Virginia, and who is quite wealthy, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Farr shot and killed Owen Ross, a city patrol driver, here last summer.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—Dr. C. D. Fulton of Scottdale, aged 74 years, was brought to the Cottage State hospital here with a broken leg and serious internal injuries. A trapdoor in the floor gave way and he fell into the cellar. His case is serious.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—Milton B. Sheets, the Berlin (Somerset county) young man who killed a stonemason named Gleesner, and who escaped from the Somerset county jail nearly a year ago while awaiting the death penalty, was captured at Athens, O.

ALTOONA, PA.—George Russell, a traveling man who came from Philadelphia, was admitted to Altoona hospital supposed to be suffering from typhoid fever. Smallpox developed, and all the nurses, physicians and patients are being vaccinated.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—Harry Johnston, the negro who stole a $400 diamond from C. A. Lehman of McKees Rocks, Pa., and then jealously shot Marco Perrito here in attempting to escape from the police, pleaded guilty to shooting with intent to kill and was sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary.

Economy in Laird's Shoes. One to Three Dollars a Pair Saved.

January Reductions

W. M. LAIRD CO.

Waterproof Footwear

A seasonable sale of high-grade Shoes for just this kind of weather. Snow, rain and slush have no terrors for man, woman or child in such goods as these.

At $5.00 $6.00 $7.00 $8.00 a Pair — **Men's Finest Non-Aqua Shoes**

In English grain and enamel leathers—Highest grade of waterproof shoes made—French calfskin linings, heaviest double soles, regular high tops—or 10-in., 14-in. and knee tops—$5.00, $6.00, $7.00, $8.00.

At $2.90 $3.50 $3.90 a Pair — **Men's and Women's Waterproof Footwear**

In English grain and enamel leathers, or in soft vici kid and box calf—with or without leather linings — double extension edge soles—broad sensible heels, Balmorals and Bluchers, $2.90, $3.50, $3.90.

These goods—for men—embrace all sizes and widths—all styles for street or business wear—that are neat and dressy in appearance—

In the women's lines—They are especially designed for the pedestrian skirt, and combine all points of comfort and appearance.

At $2.50 and $3.00 a Pair — **Boys' Waterproof Shoes**

Grain leathers, enamel and calf—heavy double extension edge soles—made and finished in the same styles as the men's goods—sizes 2s to 6s—all widths—and you find them nowhere else—$2.50 and $3.00.

Mail Orders Receive Careful Attention.

W. M. LAIRD CO.

431 to 437 Smithfield St. 402 to 408 Market St.

Pittsburgh Carpet Co.

FROM THE ORIENT.

January Sale of

ORIENTAL RUGS

Just received through the U. S. Custom House another large invoice of extra fine Rugs—including

PERSIANS, KIRMANSHAHS, SARUKS, SILKS, TABRIZS,

and other rare and beautiful weaves—The assortment embraces all sizes, from the small mat up to the large carpet.

The price range will suit all.

PITTSBURGH CARPET CO.

227—FIFTH AVE.—227

Store Opens at 8 a. m. Closes at 5:45 p. m. (Saturdays Excepted.)

CAMPBELL'S

Clearance Reductions on Women's Garments

Women's Suits at $10.00 That Sold up to $18.00—

Stylishly tailored Suits of handsome materials, in castor, red, green, blue and brown, tight fitting, eton, blouse and short jackets.

Women's Cloth Capes—

Entire lines reduced. 2 special values in black kersey cloth Capes, at $5.98 and $6.98, were $7.50 and $8.50.

Women's $25.00 Coats for $15.00—

Lot of fine all-wool Kersey and Cheviot 42-inch Coats, in black and castor, sold up to $25.00.

Women's $13.50 Box Coats for $10—

27-inch Box Coats, of fine all-wool Kersey, in black and castor.

Raglans and Long Coats Reduced—

A variety of styles, in oxford grays, black and castor.

$12.50 Coats for $7.50 $16.50 Coats for $12.98
$15.00 Coats for $12.00 $27.50 Coats for $18.00

Misses' and Children's Coats Reduced—

All styles, short three-quarter and full length Coats—A lot of $12.50 full length Coats, sizes 6 to 12 years, in red, blue and castor, now $8.75.

Dress Skirts—a Special—

An excellent new line of fine all-wool cheviot Dress Skirts, flared and trimmed around bottom with 9 half inch bands of satin. Very special at $4.98.

Fur Scarfs and Boas All Reduced—

See the $10.00 ones at $6.50 or the $13.50 ones at $10.00.

Special Notice.

The snowstorm of Tuesday prevented many from attending our Remnant Sale. For the benefit of these we will hold a postponed Remnant Sale on Friday and Saturday. See tonight's and tomorrow's papers.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE, FIFTH AVENUE.

RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.
In effect January 5, 1902.
Trains Leave Union Station, Pittsburgh.
(Eastern Standard Time.)

FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.

Atlantic Express, daily ..... 7:00 a. m.
Pennsylvania Limited, daily ..... 7:15 a. m.
Day Express, daily ..... 8:00 a. m.
Mail Express, daily except Sunday ..... 8:00 a. m.
Harrisburg Mail, daily ..... 12:05 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily ..... 4:45 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily ..... 7:00 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily ..... 7:30 p. m.
Fast Line, daily ..... 9:00 p. m.
Pittsburgh and Washington Express, daily ..... 10:00 p. m.
Baltimore and Washington Express, daily ..... 11:30 p. m.
Limited, daily ..... 12:01 a. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily, except Sunday ..... 12:01 a. m.
Sunday Express, Sunday only ..... 8:45 a. m.
For Cleveland, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20, 5:05 and 11:30 p. m. Sunday, 9:00 a. m. and 11:30 p. m.
For Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:30 p. m.
For the City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20, 5:05 and 11:30 p. m. Sunday, 9:00 a. m. and 11:30 p. m.
For Youngstown and Warren, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sunday, 9:00 a. m.
For Youngstown and Warren, 11:30 p. m. week days.
For Zanesville and Columbus, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sunday, 9:00 a. m.
For Wheeling, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sunday, 9:00 a. m.
For Mansfield, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sunday, 9:00 a. m.
For Akron, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 12:20 and 5:05 p. m. week days. Sunday, 9:00 a. m.
For Chicago, 8:00, 9:40 a. m., 1:00, 4:50, 7:00 and 11:50 p. m. Sunday, 9:40 a. m. and 11:50 p. m.
For Chicago Limited, 4:50 p. m. week days.
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Schedule in Effect Nov. 3, 1901.

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Youngstown & Cleve. Mail ...	8:00 am	9:00 am
Buffalo & Erie Express ...	8:35 am	1:40 pm
Chicago & Cleve. Express ...	11:00 am	7:15 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express ...	2:00 pm	11:15 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex. ...	4:30 pm	10:00 pm
Chicago & Cleve. Express ...	7:00 pm	3:25 pm
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex. ...	10:00 pm	6:00 am
Cleve. & Youngst'n Accom. ...	5:30 pm	10:00 am
Beaver Falls Accommodation ...	8:00 am	10:00 am
Beaver Falls Accommodation ...	11:30 am	1:30 pm
Beaver Falls Accommodation ...	4:45 pm	6:45 pm
Beaver Falls Accommodation ...	11:30 pm	1:30 am
New Castle Accommodation ...	8:00 am	10:00 am
New Castle Accommodation ...	4:45 pm	6:45 pm
Conway Accommodation ...	7:00 am	9:00 am
Conway Accommodation ...	4:45 pm	6:45 pm
Fairview City & Un. Harmony ...	8:00 am	10:00 am
McKeesp't & Fairview City ...	11:00 am	12:00 pm
Fairview City & Un. Harmony ...	4:45 pm	6:45 pm
Fairview City Express ...	11:30 pm	1:30 am

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DONNELLY TOLD A STRANGE TALE OF A SHOOTING

Accused Attorney Rody P. Marshall of Inflicting a Bullet Wound.

STORY IS NOT BELIEVED

The Attorney Denies the Statement and Little Credence Is Given It by Those Who Know Both Men—Donnelly's Injury Is Not Serious.

Mart Donnelly of Rebecca street, Allegheny, formerly employed as a private detective, was received as a patient at the Allegheny General hospital Tuesday night. He had been shot in the arm, and at the hospital told a story to the effect that the wound was inflicted by Attorney Rody P. Marshal. According to the physicians who attended the man and other circumstances connected with the case, little credence is placed in Donnelly's story. When received at the hospita he was in an intoxicated condition, and the physicians of that institution are of the opinion that he shot himself for a motive that he alone can explain. The police say they could obtain no information of the shooting.

Said Money Was Due Him.

When admitted to the hospital Donnelly claimed that he went to the office of Mr. Marshall Tuesday afternoon and demanded $25 which he said was due him for work that he had done for the lawyer. He then alleged to the physicians that Mr. Marshall became angry and whipped out a revolver and shot him in the arm.

This story is denied by Attorney Marshall in its entirety. He says that Donnelly came to his office in the morning and asked him for $1 to get a drink. Mr. Marshall refused to extend the loan and Donnelly became ugly and insulted the attorney. Mr. Marshall at first paid no further attention to him, and then ordered him out of the office.

Was Put Out of the Office.

Donnelly refused to go, and the attorney was compelled to eject him from the office. He says that he merely pushed him out of the room. He claims there were a dozen clients in the office at the time who saw him eject Donnelly. Mr. Marshall said that was the last he saw of Donnelly.

He was astounded when he heard the report yesterday morning. He said that he had employed Donnelly on one occasion to do some detective work for him. Mr. Marshall says that he was so unreliable that he had to discharge him, and he has not employed him in several years. The young attorney said he did not know why Donnelly should concoct such a story, unless it was due to his intoxicated condition.

Boasted of His Wound.

It was learned yesterday that Donnelly had frequented several establishments in Ferry street and exhibited his wound to the inmates before going to the infirmary. He claimed then that Mr. Marshall had shot him. The last place he was in was at No. 115 Ferry street. The inmates at that place say that he was wounded, and the powder marks were on his arm then. They say that there was no hole in any of his clothes. His coat and shirt were still intact. They all alleged that he had shot himself. That was about 7 o'clock. After leaving this place he went into the street and circulated the report that Mr. Marshall had shot him. He was intoxicated at this time.

Went to the Hospital.

Donnelly then went to the Allegheny General hospital and had his wound dressed. Early Tuesday afternoon he went to the office of Alderman S. J. Toole and wanted to make an information against Mr. Marshall for assault and battery. Alderman S. J. Toole noticed that he was intoxicated and ordered him out of the office. Attorney Marshall said that he was in the East End at the time when Donnelly says the shooting was done.

Donnelly returned to the hospital about midnight complaining that his wound was paining him, and he was given a cot. His wound was dressed again. Yesterday afternoon he was discharged from that institution. His former acquaintances do not give much credit to his story of the shooting. He has no permanent occupation.

LOOKING FOR A PASTOR.

The Grant Street Reformed Presbyterian Church Wants a Man to Succeed the Rev. Woodside.

The congregation of the Grant Street Reformed Presbyterian church met last night and decided to issue a call for a pastor. This church has been without a regular pastor since the death of the Rev. Nevin Woodside some months ago. At the meeting last night the session of the church was empowered to get supplies from among whom the pastor will be selected.

An announcement to this effect, according to the regulations of that denomination, will be made from the pulpit at the morning and evening services for the next two Sundays. There are only four churches of this particular branch of the church from which to draw, two of which are in Canada.

Although no public statement has been made, there is a general sentiment in favor of the Rev. A. W. Dempster, who is now preaching in Toronto, Canada. Mr. Dempster is known to every member of the congregation, as he was reared in this city and was a member of the church from his infancy. He made his preliminary studies in Belfast, Ireland, after which he was admitted to the ministry and called to Toronto, Canada. He has been there about two years.

The meeting for the election of a pastor will not be held for some weeks. The candidates will come and take charge of the church for one Sunday, preaching and conducting the regular services and meetings. The one making the most favorable impression on the congregation will be invited to fill the pulpit the Sunday following, which is generally a sign that he will receive the call. The pastorate of this church brings $2,500 a year.

TO RAISE SCHOOL STANDARD.

Civic Club of Allegheny County Will Appoint Two Committees to Make an Investigation.

An effort is being made to raise the standard of the public schools of Pittsburgh and Allegheny. As a result of the meeting of the educational department of the Civic club of Allegheny county held yesterday afternoon to inaugurate a movement for scientific investigation of the public school system it was decided to appoint two committees to set in motion the plan of improvement.

One committee will have for its object improvement in the teaching force by raising the standard of eligibility. The other committee will have for its purpose the investigation of the functions of the Central board of education. Dr. Francis Henry Wade will be one of the members of the first committee. The remaining members of the two committees are to be appointed later.

Interesting talks were made by Prof. Charles Zueblin of the University of Chicago, Mrs. George H. Wilson, the chairman of the department of education, who presided over the meeting, and many others.

Local News of All Pittsburgh

THREE CITIES,
FORTY-FIVE BOROUGHS,
AND TWENTY-SIX TOWNSHIPS.
Population, 729,064.
Area, Square Miles, 316.22.
Fifth in Volume of Bank Clearings.
Fourth in Rank Among Cities.

Gave a Euchre Party—Local Union No. 20, Journeyman Barbers' International union, held a reception and euchre at New Thuma academy last night. The Guenther orchestra furnished music.

Park Police Shifted—Twelve park policemen were yesterday sworn in as employes of the department of public safety. Heretofore they have been attached to the department of public works.

Property Is Booming—Before the board of viewers on the Diamond alley widening yesterday J. L. Gleninger stated that in his opinion property on the thoroughfare has increased from 25 to 30 per cent in the past three months.

Donations Received—At the regular weekly meeting of the Humane society held yesterday the following donations were reported: Mrs. Stewart Brenneman, $5; Miss Mary E. Davison, $2; fine from Agent. I. N. Morrison, McKeesport, $10.

Brakeman Injured—Thomas Turpitt, 26 years of age, a freight brakeman on the Pennsylvania railroad, was probably fatally injured yesterday at Pitcairn by being dragged by his train. He was taken to a hospital.

Fell Twice from Same Pole—Christ Nunes, an electric light trimmer, fell 35 feet from a pole in Fourth street, North Braddock, yesterday, and was badly shaken up. Three months ago he fell from the same pole and was nearly killed.

Want a Milk Inspector—The residents of Munhall borough want a milk inspector, as they allege that much of the milk sold in the borough is adulterated. The matter will be taken up by the borough council at the next meeting and it is thought that the office will be created.

Library Report—The annual report of the Homestead library shows that there is a total of 13,673 volumes, that the circulation of the year was 72,618 volumes, which is an increase over the preceding year of 27 per cent. In the reading room are 34 monthlies, 23 weeklies and 10 daily papers.

Thought He Was Dead—"There is a dead man down in River avenue," was the message the Braddock police and undertakers received last night. All of the police and undertakers went to the point designated by the person who telephoned and found Andrew South intoxicated and nearly frozen. He was taken to the police station.

Glass Men to Meet—Representatives of the American Flint Glass Workers' union and the Flint and Lime Glass Manufacturers' association will meet in Pittsburgh on February 1 to arrange the period of summer stops in the factories. A suspension of six weeks has already been arranged for the chimney and blown ware factories.

Pastor Called—There was a congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church of Turtle Creek last night, and a call was extended to the Rev. F. L. Boston of Steubenville, O. This church has been without a regular pastor for two years. Some eight months ago the Rev. A. M. Eels was called, but he was forced to resign because of dissensions.

Trouble Over Furniture—F. B. Buckingham, colored, of Braddock, was committed to jail yesterday by Justice John G. Richards for trial at court on a charge of obtaining money under false pretense. Buckingham, it is alleged, secured goods from Joseph Malloy, an agent for Fritsius & Nolard, a furniture house, on the installment plan, and then sold the goods.

Mortuary Fund Suggested — The bricklayers, at their convention yesterday, incidental to the hearing of committee reports, received a proposition to create a mortuary fund. A committee of five was appointed to devise ways and means. The convention recommended to its committee on constitution that the president be paid a salary of $1,600 a year.

Arrested for Cruelty—Charles Washington, colored, of Henderson street, Allegheny, a driver for John Huckestein, a brick manufacturer, was arrested yesterday and gave bail for a hearing on Saturday on a charge of cruelty to animals. It is alleged that Washington beat and kicked a team of horses that had fallen down while trying to haul an overloaded wagon up a steep grade.

Foreman Killed—Charles Erickson, 26 years of age, foreman of the work of tearing down the old piers on the Monongahela river where the Wabash road is to cross, was instantly killed at the south pier yesterday afternoon. A guy rope of a derrick broke, and the end of the rope struck him on the head. His home was at No. 627 East One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, New York.

Must Buy New Stove—When Mrs. William Lewis started to get supper last night in her home in Corey avenue, Braddock, she threw a piece of burning paper into the stove and turned on the gas. But there was no gas. Then she went to the meter and dropped in a quarter. There was plenty of gas then. She will have to purchase a new stove, as it was completely wrecked by the explosion.

Church Clubs to Meet Here—Word was received in this city last night that the Pittsburgh delegates to the convention of church clubs held yesterday in New Haven, Conn., had carried the assembly by a large majority in favor of Pittsburgh as the next convention city. The result of the voting was wired late last night. The delegates from this city are Charles E. Childers and N. L. Lenhart.

Injured Man Identified.—The young man who was found injured and dying at the side of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad track Tuesday night in McKeesport and taken to the McKeesport hospital has been identified as Marsh Williams, son of Robert Williams, living at Riverview park, McKeesport. He is 20 years old and will die. It is not known how he received his injuries, but it is thought that he fell from a train.

Conference at Braddock—A Sabbath school normal institute will be held in the North Braddock United Brethren church in Jones avenue, North Braddock, by Col. Robert Cowden of Dayton, O., beginning tomorrow evening and continuing, with sessions on Saturday afternoon at 2 and 8 o'clock, and on Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. The institute is for the benefit of the Sunday school workers of the Pittsburgh conference of the United Brethren church, and several hundred workers will attend.

To Avoid Friction—The executive board of the bridge and structural iron workers at their session in the St. Charles hotel yesterday determined to instruct all local unions to affiliate as far as possible with the Ornamental Iron Workers, so as to prevent friction between the two crafts. The matter of affiliation with the bricklayers was discussed. No action has as yet been taken on this by the bricklayers' convention in session here.

Wanted—One Chicken Thief—Edward Campbell of Scioto street was arrested yesterday morning on a Suburban car when it reached the city, and was taken to Central station. The man had a basket in which were seven chickens supposed to be stolen. For some time the residents of Mt. Oliver have been missing chickens and the conductor of the car on which the man came to the city is of the opinion that the man arrested has been getting all of them.

Ordinances Recommended — The public safety committee organized yesterday by electing John Blenz chairman. Ordinances were affirmatively recommended authorizing the employment of an assistant veterinary surgeon at $125 a month; an additional building inspector at $123; for the letting of a contract for a hook and ladder truck to cost not more than $2,600, and for laying cable to engine companies No. 32, 33 and 34, to cost not more than $3,250.

No Piano for Flagg—Mrs. Lizzie Argyle of 213 Frankstown avenue bought a piano on the installment plan in 1895. Payment not having been made for some time, the firm sent W. Flagg and four assistants to remove the piano yesterday morning. Mrs. Argyle was on hand with a revolver and the piano is still there. A charge of pointing firearms was made against the woman before Alderman Means. She said she would charge the men with forcible entry.

Crane Operator Injured — Albert Doak, a well-known resident of Corey avenue, Braddock, was dangerously injured while at work about 5:30 yesterday evening at the Edgar Thomson steel works. Doak operated an electric crane, and last evening fell from his crane under the cross arm. His chest was crushed and several ribs were broken. After being attended by physicians in the temporary hospital he was removed to the Mercy hospital. His condition is critical.

Streets to Be Opened—The committee on public works met and organized yesterday and K. Q. Bigham was re-elected chairman. Ordinances for the opening of Upland street, Roma alley, Blackstock and Terrace streets were affirmatively recommended to councils. Other ordinances favorably recommended were for grading, paving and curbing Murtland street; opening Bartlett street, and one allowing S. S. Brown to lay water mains in the Twenty-third ward.

Primary at Rankin—The Republicans of Rankin on Saturday will hold a primary and nominate candidates for the regular ticket to be voted on February 18. The candidates with the offices for which they aspire are as follows: Council, F. G. Bishoff, C. B. Guttridge and Thomas Watkins; school directors, George Barnett, J. S. Donelian and A. W. Glover; constable, Charles Thorn and William Sullivan; auditor, Joseph Hope; judge of election, O. D. Guttridge; inspector, J. S. Sloan.

Societies Organized—The Rebecca Loyal Temperance Legion and Industrial School was organized at the Negley Run mission Tuesday night with a membership of 30 boys and girls. Another society of the same kind was organized under the name of the Margaretta Street Legion with a membership of 12 boys. Another has been organized at the home of Mrs. James B. Masters, St. Clair street, East End. The course of study for these societies includes "The effects of tobacco on the body and mind" and other habits peculiar to the untrained youth.

Mistook a Fit For Crime—Elizabeth Stannard, a colored girl 15 years old, took an epileptic fit in North Euclid avenue near Highland park about 8 o'clock last night. She was discovered lying in a pile of snow by Charles L. Hamilton, who at first supposed the girl had made an attempt to commit suicide. The girl was taken to Senator Flinn's residence, where her mother is employed as a domestic. The East Liberty patrol wagon was summoned and a physician was called. After the girl had been resuscitated she was removed to her home in Colvert street.

Sent to City Home—The Allegheny department of charities yesterday sent two persons to the city home at Claremont. The first was James Christy Sloan, aged 58 years, who for some time has been boarding at No. 1039 East Ohio street. Sloan is almost helpless. The other person sent to the city home yesterday was Daniel Davitt, aged 69 years, who has lived at the home of Mrs. Mary Welsh of No. 69 Pennsylvania avenue for several years. He is sick and has no friends except a sister, Mrs. Thomas Farrell, who, he thinks, lives somewhere in Allegheny.

Family After a Recruit—John B. Shafer of Grandview avenue was one of the recruits sent to Columbus barracks yesterday. There was considerable excitement at the Union depot when he took the train. It is claimed by members of his family that he is under age and that the cause of his enlistment was a discussion he had with his brother about a girl. The family will endeavor to have him released. There were 225 men enlisted in this city last year. There were 984 applicants, but 659 were rejected. Of these 131 were rejected because of defective vision and 113 for drunkenness. There were 352 enlistments in 1901.

Mardi Gras Excursions To New Orleans and the South.

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DEATHS.

BLAKE—On Tuesday, January 21, 1902, at his late residence, N. 1382 Page street, Allegheny, FREDERICK, beloved husband of Mary Blake (nee Hartmyer), in his 76d year.

Funeral services on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private on Thursday at 1 p. m.

DRAVO—On Tuesday, January 21, 1902, at 10:55 p. m., at her residence, Gordon street, Edgewood, MRS. ELIZABETH ROBBINS DRAVO, widow of Capt. C. A. Dravo, in her 74th year.

Funeral services at the house on Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment private at Dravo Station, Pa.

HEFLINE—On Monday, January 20, 1902, at 8:30 p. m., GEORGE MILLARD, son of George W. and Olive E. Hepline (nee Seibert), aged 2 years, 8 days.

Funeral services at the residence of his parents, 2116 Schuyler street, Twenty-seventh ward, South Side, Pittsburgh, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

HOERR—On Wednesday, January 22, 1902, at 5 a. m., at her residence, 270 Fisk street, LOUISA C. AHLBORN, wife of John Hoerr, aged 58 years.

Funeral on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

JOHNSON—On Wednesday, January 22, 1902, at 2:40 a. m., HELEN H. JOHNSON, aged 15 years.

Funeral services at her home, No. 411 Southern avenue, Mt. Washington, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Interment private at Coraopolis, Pa., Friday morning.

KESTLER—On Wednesday morning, January 22, 1902, MRS. ANNIE M. KESTLER, daughter of the late Joseph and Annie Corbit.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

LAMAR—On Wednesday, January 22, 1902, at 4:15 a. m., MARGARETHA LAMAR (nee Metzger), beloved wife of Joseph Lamar, aged 64 years, 3 months, 24 days.

Funeral from her late residence, 176 Main street, West End, on Friday morning at 8:30. High mass at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LENZ—On Tuesday, January 21, 1902, at 8 p. m., at his residence, 417 Cedar street, Bloomfield, WILLIAM A. LENZ, in his 56th year.

Funeral on Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem mass at St. Joseph's German Catholic church at 9 o'clock.

ORR—On Tuesday, January 21, 1902, at 8:15 p. m., MARY J. ORR.

Funeral services at her late residence, 818 Western avenue, Allegheny, Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

SEFTON—On Wednesday, January 22, 1902, at noon, at her home in Clinton township, Butler county, Pa., PRUDENCE J., beloved wife of William Sefton, aged 65 years.

Funeral services at the Hope Grove United Presbyterian church on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Butler papers please copy.)

SIMMONS—On Tuesday, January 21, 1902, at 11:30 p. m., JOHN HENRY, husband of Barbara Simmons (nee Calo), aged 72 years and 28 days.

Funeral services Friday, January 24, at 1:30 p. m. at his late residence, Onyx street, Giffin Place, Lower St. Clair township. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment in German North Zion cemetery.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1902.

TWELVE PAGES.

Needed Park Improvements.

Councilman McNeil's ordinance authorizing Director McCandless to prepare plans for shelters, restaurants, etc., in the public parks points to desirable improvements that have been advocated by The Gazette. The Pittsburgh parks are notoriously deficient. It is difficult even to get a drink of water in them. There are pleasant drives and, through the planting of trees, there will in time be shaded walks. Much attention has been devoted to paths and driveways and to beautifying the landscape, but none to providing for refuges from sudden storm or places where lunches and refreshments may be obtained. The need for these things has been long recognized by the public, and now that the first official step has been taken we hope it will be followed by others until Pittsburgh's parks are as well equipped as those of other cities. The Gazette has at different times pointed out the deficiencies it is now proposed to remedy. They can be remedied at a comparatively small cost, and the restaurant privileges should be a source of revenue sufficient at least to maintain the storm shelters and other things that cannot be made productive. For the original cost of such improvements the city should look to the now untaxed public service companies. In Baltimore, as frequently pointed out, the revenue from the street railway companies maintains the parks. This fact should be kept before the eyes of the city administration and should not be forgotten by the taxpayers of Pittsburgh, who bear the whole burden of maintaining the parks that help to provide the street car companies with a considerable part of their income.

Tuesday Night Republicanism.

The Tuesday night platform denunciations of Republicans who are alleged therein to be allied with the Democratic organization, and the fine oratorical appeal for loyalty to Republican candidates and Republican principles would have come with better grace from persons who had been sturdy supporters of Republican policies and Republican candidates regularly chosen by party conventions and party caucuses. One not familiar with political and factional history might be led by the character of the declarations to believe that the promoters of Tuesday's meeting and the authors of its platform and oratory spoke with the authority of consistent and continuous advocacy of everything that bore the stamp of Republicanism. The uninitiated would not be easily convinced that the high sounding condemnations and ringing appeals proceeded from men whose usual attitude has been that of alliance with the Democratic organization that they so unsparingly condemned. This customary alliance which has been for the time superseded by the alliance with Gov. Stone was undoubtedly of a character similar to the present Stone partnership, happily described as for mutual political and business advantage. A proper posture of those now renouncing their former Democratic partners would have been deep contrition and heartfelt pledges to offend no more, instead of arrogant assumption of Republican virtues that do not sit well on them. Had they so demeaned themselves their utterances might have been accepted as evidence of a repentant spirit by many who under the circumstances will see nothing but business-like adherence to the terms of a deal with the governor of the state for control of this city during the time he has power to remove and appoint the head of the city government. The difference between the Republicanism of the Tuesday convention and real Republicanism, it will occur to most observers of matters of public concern, is the difference between Republicanism for revenue and Republicanism from principle. This raises the question of whether the city organization will not be as ready in the future as of yore to trade with the adherents of "Cleveland, the free trader, and Bryan, the free silverite." Past treachery that is known gives birth to fears that pledges now made are not sincere, and that promises for improvements that do not carry with them fruitful contracts are made only to the ear. It is quite true, as the platform says, that "the Republican party invites here the money and labor of the world," but it is equally true that while it has been doing so the men who call attention to the invitation had a tight contract with the Democratic organization in Pennsylvania looking to the overthrow of the regular Republican organization. If they have been false to the Republican party in this important particular they have no reason to complain, if the sincerity of their Republicanism and their pledges are questioned, and it need not surprise them if their declaration of belief "that the administration of the affairs of a great municipality is a business proposition" causes a laugh so loud and so far-reaching as to be heard by even the occupant of the executive mansion in Harrisburg. Republicanism that has no better origin than a profitable deal does not inspire confidence or respect.

Uncle Sam and His Friends.

In the competition in progress between the European nations as to which shall occupy the position of best friend to the United States, England is not taking a rear seat and has succeeded in developing that all Europe wants to be on our side since the discovery by European statesmen that we are big enough to take care of ourselves.

It is worth while to note that Lord Cranborne's candid statement was elicited by a question from Henry Norman, whose articles describing a tour through Russia dealt among other things with the traditional friendship of Russia for the United States. Mr. Norman declared that this friendship is all a myth and that there can be no real heart-to-heart confidence between institutions so utterly diverse as a despotism like that of the Muscovites and a free government like that of the United States. Mr. Norman is evidently working along the same line still, and trying to prove that Uncle Sam's best and truest friend, past and present, is John Bull. But in national alliances or friendships forms of government cut little figure. Republican France and the autocratic Romanoffs have been long in alliance as a matter of political necessity and not through love for each other's political institutions. When Russia checked designs of imperial France during our civil war it was not from love of our republican government or dislike of the second empire, but because Russian statesmen saw in the preservation of the United States a check on enemies or possible enemies or opponents of the expansive tendencies of Russia. From Paris now comes testimony that Count Mouravieff, a Russian statesman whose life has become a part of the accomplished history of his country, refused to implicate Russia in designs against the United States in behalf of Spain, though St. Petersburg advices deny that there were any negotiations at the czar's capital. But if Count Mouravieff did as the Frenchmen say, it was not because he loved a republic, but because he was playing the game of far-sighted statesmanship for his own nation. From Paris, also, comes an attempt to discredit England by a statement that the anger of Spain's foreign minister was directed most against Germany and least against England, but between the lines of dislike for "perfidious Albion" it appears that Senor Gulion's anger against Germany was because he had been given a promise that was broken, while from England against which his wrath burned less fiercely, he expected little or nothing, and, therefore, suffered little or no disappointment in her refusal. It is not necessary to assume that England's course in the matter was altogether disinterested, but it was wise, it was statesmanlike and it has our indorsement, no matter what the underlying motives.

In this whole matter, however, the United States, the subject of so much discussion, enjoys the peculiar position of being an interested, but not greatly concerned, spectator or listener. It does not matter so much to us what the disposition of Europe was, so much as what the disposition of Europe is. All the nations of Europe are now anxious for American friendship, not for the benefits they may confer on us, but because our good will is a valuable asset. International relations, so far as the men who have the star parts are concerned, are essentially commercial. International friendships are for value received or hoped for. "To him that hath shall be given" and the nation that has nothing is in danger of having taken away from it even that which it has. The quarrel as to who was our first friend and who is our best friend in Europe is a strictly European quarrel in which it is not necessary for the United States to mix. We are glad to have the nations of the earth competing for our friendship, but we have no need to pick a winner, even if we do remember with pleasure many of the courtesies of England during our war with Spain, and while we give a glad welcome to the brother of the kaiser when he comes as the incarnation of German good will.

An Interesting Convention.

It has been definitely arranged that the American Association for Advancement of Science will meet here on June 27. The announcement of this meeting is of unusual public interest. The association held its last meeting at Denver, a city whose remarkable geological and paleontological environment must have appealed sympathetically and forcibly to the scientists who visited it for the first time. The natural objects around Pittsburgh are of the utilitarian and commercial kind. The mineralogist, the civil, mechanical and mining engineer, the political economist and those engaged in allied work and investigation will find in Pittsburgh ample food for thought and reflection. Another thing, Dr. Holland, to whose energy the visit is mainly due, can point with pride to a museum probably unsurpassed for rarity and variety or its contents by any similar institution in the world.

Latest Demand of the Brigands.

If there is compliance with the latest demand of the brigands, that they be paid the ransom money before they release Miss Stone, the old saying that "there is honor among thieves" will be put to a test. The captors of the American missionary have thus far done nothing to strengthen confidence in their integrity, and naturally there is much doubting of their assertions that they are acting in good faith. At this distance it looks like a risky venture to trust in the honor of the brigands, but, unfortunately, these outlaws are masters of the situation, and in a position enabling them to dictate terms. Doubtless the American negotiators are men of wisdom and discernment, and if they concede the demand of the brigands the friends of Miss Stone will have to console themselves with the belief that all has been done that can be done to bring about her restoration to freedom.

Window Glass Wages.

Skilled workmen in the window glass industry will probably not care how long the "war" lasts if one of its results is to give them higher wages. They are expected to view with equanimity a state of affairs which causes employers voluntarily to advance their pay 10 to 15 per cent, an increase which is expected to add something like $850,000 to the income of 5,000 workmen in the next three months.

This action on the part of the American Window Glass Company is indicative of a healthy demand for its product, and promises a continuance of building activity. The singular state of affairs is witnessed of more work to be done than there is labor to do it. With about 3,800 pots in the country, and only workmen enough to man 2,300, the natural operation of the law of supply and demand is to advance wages. Window glass workmen ought to be happy.

Dr. W. J. Holland, director of the Carnegie museum, is naturally very much elated over the outlook for the annual gathering in this city next June of the American association for the Advancement of Science, and speaks very hopefully of the plans now in progress for the entertainment of this distinguished body. The association is composed of more than 4,000 of the leading scientists and educators of the country and is regarded as one of the most important scientific organizations in the world. The association has been holding its annual meetings for years, but the gathering in June will be its first visit to Pittsburgh.

With John L. Sullivan playing in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and Ellis Glenn preparing to star in a play of her or his own creation the work of elevating the stage goes merrily on.

A white man protested recently against being hanged on the same scaffold with his colored confederate in crime. And yet they say race prejudice is dying out.

Gen. Kitchener reports from South Africa "a running fight at Boschkopjes on the evening of January 20, but fails to state which side did the running.

Among the other good send-offs the Low administration in New York has received may be counted the attack made upon it by Dr Parkhurst.

Perhaps Milwaukee feels that Prince Henry will just naturally gravitate in that direction without any special effort to secure his presence.

The wireless system of courtship will not be very generally adopted since Prof. Marconi's experiment in that direction.

At last accounts the enterprising lady who has designs upon Russell Sage's bank account had failed to "make good."

Incompatibility Blocked Marconi's Match

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
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NEW YORK, Jan. 22.

Why did Josephine Holman break her engagement with Marconi? Now that the young man has sailed away, as he did on the American liner Philadelphia today, and Miss Holman is supposed to have gone, too, on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, a friend of Marconi's comes out with what he declares to be the true reason of the rupture. His explanation might be given in the one word, incompatibility. His quoted words are: "The engagement was broken after a long discussion of the subject, by mutual consent. It was forced home to both of them that they were not suitable for each other; that they were of diverse temperament and lacked that affinity which they considered should exist between husband and wife." This supposed to be well-informed personage, who is a lawyer, and whose name is J. Bottomley, added: "The announcement of the breaking of the engagement was delayed as long as possible to allow both of the interested parties to get away and avoid as much embarrassment as possible. I do not think Miss Holman has gone abroad." And this is all we have of a deeply interesting subject. While it is true that the love affair, even of an eminent inventor, is a personal and private matter, he cannot help the world taking a sympathetic interest in it. Miss Holman, a sensible American girl, recognized that, and took precautions to be out of the way when the news of the ending of the engagement should go forth. She may not have gone abroad; but, wherever she is, she is not in evidence, and the enterprising interviewer has not been able to find her for the last day or two. Before Marconi sailed away today he said, in answer to questions, that the reason of the break was not on account of his association with an actress, since he has never had any entanglement of that kind, and did not arise from a difference of opinion over a marriage settlement. Marconi is a mild young fellow, as a rule, but as he referred to these stories he said with some heat that they were "malicious lies." He will remain in England about two weeks. Perhaps he will meet Miss Holman over there and make up, but it does not seem likely.

Croker Goes—But He Will Return.

Richard Croker, looking none the worse for his dinner at the Democratic club last night, sailed for England on the Philadelphia this morning. There were a few of his old friends to see him off, but not the large, miscellaneous crowds to which he was accustomed in the past. The last man to shake his hand as the signal for "all ashore" was given was Whispering Larry Delmour. Mr. Croker said he would be back in eight months to take part in the state campaign—but, as a follower, and not as a leader. All of which may be taken with a large grain of salt.

Wretched Weather.

This has been one of those muddy, sloppy days that New York gets occasionally, but, happily, not often. It rained most of the night and it has drizzled most of the day. Business has worried along in a half-hearted kind of way, and most people have felt as disagreeable as the weather. We are promised that it will be colder and generally fit tomorrow, and we are living in hopes. One of the sad features of the muggy, dirty climatic conditions today is that skating has disappeared as if it had never been.

A Fiery Tipple.

New Jersey has given to New York a new drink. It is said to be almost as deadly as the now famous McKesport mixture, "usefumole" with the recommendation of being pleasanter to the the palate. It is called a "flashlight." You make it thus: Into a heated whisky glass put two lumps of sugar, followed by a dash of Angostura bitters and some hot water. The next ingredient is Jersey applejack, which is poured in liberally and is set afire. While it is blazing, twist a bit of lemon peel over the flame. This causes a yellow flash, and as the fire dies away, drink it. If your throat is copper lined you will like it.

Interested in Keene's Health.

Whether James R. Keene has entirely recovered from his indisposition or not is a question that has not been satisfactorily answered. The official report is that he is quite well and will be in Wall street tomorrow. The tremendous effect upon the market that would be inevitable in case of his death well explains the anxiety evident downtown today and "Little Stock Exchange" in the Waldorf-Astoria tonight.

Another Defalcation Discovered.

New Yorkers cannot be startled by reports of defalcations in municipal offices after the Philips performance; so when it was announced today by the corporation counsel that he had discovered a defalcation of $1,200 in the bureau of collection of arrears of personal taxes, and that one Dougherty, a clerk in the department, had been arrested and confessed his guilt, it hardly caused a ripple of excitement. Dougherty has been in the department for several years. He was an assemblyman at one time, but this latter fact is not regarded as a guarantee of integrity in New York.

Patrick Takes His Trial Easily.

The Patrick trial is on now in earnest. A record was made in selecting a jury for an important murder trial, it having taken only ten hours and 15 minutes. Patrick remarked complacently this afternoon, as he looked over the twelve men, "Fine jury." Two weeks was occupied in obtaining a jury for the Molineux trial. Patrick looked entirely at his ease as he sat in court, and he might have been one of the counsel in some other person's case instead of a man on trial for his life. Interest in the trial becomes more intense from day to day.

Professional Bondsmen Scored.

Magistrate Brann, an exceedingly plain-spoken person, both on and off the bench, paid his respects to an alleged professional bondsman today. The man was held in $5,000 bail, having been arrested at the direction of District Attorney Jerome. The magistrate looked at the defendant, and then, as he fixed the bail at the comfortable sum of $5,000, remarked: "We are going to send a few of you thieves to Sing Sing, and then the rest will take to flight." The professional bondsman is to be found in every city in the country, including Pittsburgh; but it is doubtful whether he flourishes anywhere so bravely as in New York—unless, indeed, in Chicago.

French Ball Debris Cleared Out.

The empty champagne bottles, scraps of tinsel, lace and other finery, and the rest of the debris from the French ball were cleared out of Madison Square Garden today. It had to be done rather late, because it was nearly breakfast time when the last of the revelers got away from the Garden. Some were in cabs, many in taks, and the women generally in crumpled gowns. However, they were all taken away and put to bed at last, and, while they are more likely still slumbering another ball opens in the big Garden tonight. It is that of the Knights of Columbus, under the auspices of the New York chapter. It is believed that the total number of visitors will reach 15,000 before morning, as many drop in for an hour or so and then depart. The ball is to establish a fund for the benefit of the Knights of Columbus Hospital Bed association. The total receipts in advance before the Garden opened this evening were $5,000, every box having been sold. The scene is a brilliant one, and the fact that the proceedings are rather more decorous than those of last night's festivities does not detract from the pleasure of the guests.

Health Officer Unvaccinated.

Four new cases of smallpox were reported in Brooklyn today, and there is a general rush of people over there to be vaccinated. In the midst of the excitement it was revealed that the officer in charge of the health department in Brooklyn had not been vaccinated for several years. There is as much horror over this alleged negligence on his part as over the smallpox itself. No one fears an epidemic over there, or to any part of Greater New York, because the sanitary regulations are too carefully carried out as a rule; but when it was learned that this health officer—a doctor, too—had neglected his own vaccination, there was a howl that could be heard clear across the East river to the dismay of peaceful Broadwayites.

Famine Prices for Eggs.

Eggs continue to be eggs in New York. There was an attempt to get the prices down last week; but until hens help out a little New Yorkers will continue to pay 50 cents a dozen for eggs, and will not have extraordinarily good ones even at that figure.

The Pennsy Good to East New York.

Residents of East New York, an important section of Brooklyn, are praising the Pennsylvania railroad for its liberal policy in freight ratings as they affect this district. This means that East New York expects soon to have a market as important as any on Manhattan. There was a feeling in East New York that the people there were the victims of discrimination until the Pennsylvania railroad became interested in the Long Island railroad. Ice, meats, vegetables and domestic supplies generally are brought to this district as cheaply as they can be obtained anywhere, and there is general rejoicing. East New York is a part of Brooklyn not familiar to the casual adventurer into that portion of Greater New York; but it promises to become as important as any part of the metropolis in due time. The new East river bridge will be a factor in this development, of course.

A Big Market.

Washington market, on the lower West Side, in Manhattan, is the great market of the city for general purchases. Of course there is Fulton market on the East Side, where fish can be bought sometimes within an hour of the time that it was dragged out of the sea; but Washington market is the place where delicacies in season and out of season can be bought by the pound, or by the yard, as you choose. It is near to the ferry houses, and it catches the commuters who, like Some unerring individuals have said that the meats, vegetables and other domestic necessities at Washington market are no fresher or cheaper than they could be procured elsewhere; but say that to a regular dyed-in-the-wool commuter and he will hit you with his market basket.

Frohman Wild Over Pittsburgh Music.

Daniel Frohman, the theatrical manager, is not a wildly demonstrative person usually, but he could not restrain his delight at the concert of the Pittsburgh orchestra in Carnegie hall last night. It was after the second movement, the "Allegro Tranquille" of the Tschaikowsky symphony, when the audience was applauding vigorously, that Mr. Frohman arose to his feet, and as he clapped his hands heartily shouted again and again, "Bravo! Bravo!" Everyone in the hall knew him, and it was realized that an exceedingly great compliment had been paid to Victor Herbert and the Pittsburgh orchestra. Mr. Herbert smiled with unmistakable gratification as he bowed toward Mr. Frohman. He felt, as did everyone, that a greater tribute hardly could have been tendered by the famous manager.

Coney Doesn't Mind Being Wiped Out.

Coney Island has been swept away again. This happens two or three times each winter, and it would be a disappointment were there not to come a hurricane to take away all the wooden buildings and leave the sand up into mountains. Dunes somewhere about this time of year. The Coney Island denizens know what to expect, and they build their shacks in the lightest style of architecture, so that when the storm arrives it can carry away the buildings on the crest of the waves without pulling up the foundations of the city. There was not more damage than usual last night, although the scene of havoc today was something shocking to the unaccustomed eye. The loop-the-loop edifice was there still and some of the photograph galleries well up on Surf avenue still stood; but everything down by the shore itself had been swept as clean as the palm of your hand. It looked like ruin completed; but it isn't. Bless you! Old Coney will rise from its ruins at the first approach of hot weather, and with a bucket or two of paint, a carload of pine lumber and a keg of nails will be prinked up till it will look as gay as ever. You can't seriously hurt Coney with a northwest gale or two, and Coney knows it.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers In New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
J. A. Chambers, W. Scheffer, Miss McClure, C. W. Brown, E. Pitcairn, Mrs. E. McNeil, C. H. Myers, G. W. Wanamaker, J. K. Bryden, E. E. Reid, H. B. McKee, R. I. Phillips, A. H. Chase, W. L. Clause, H. C. Grafer, H. C. O'Neil, Miss O'Neil, Mrs. C. H. Myers, T. M. McKee, J. H. Myers, W. E. Corey.

MARLBOROUGH.
John M. Green.

HERALD SQUARE.
J. O. Cook, G. W. Dekmaster.

IMPERIAL.
C. F. Kirschler, F. H. Bruening, James A. Sauer, John Schimmel.

HOLLAND.
W. J. Patterson, Mrs. Patterson, S. L. Fleshman, J. H. Thaw.

VICTORIA.
John W. Greere, L. A. Pratt.

HOFFMAN.
W. C. Cronemeyer.

ALBEMARLE.
James R. Bakewell, Mrs. Bakewell.

FIFTH AVENUE.
Miss Quinn, Miss Price, H. B. Quinby, L. C. Fardo, Jr.

ASTOR.
B. Cailey, J. H. Watkins, H. C. Campbell, Mrs. J. H. Watkins.

MANHATTAN.
A. M. Hanauer.

ALBERT.
D. M. Howe, H. Patterson, MURRAY HILL.

PERSONALS.

H. E. Williams of Philadelphia, special agent for the accounting department of the Pennsylvania railroad company, is in the city on business connected with the duties of his position. At the Seventh Avenue hotel last evening he said that the effects of the late strike of the switchmen had not yet been fully overcome, but that all would be running in the usual manner in a short time. The fact that Robert M. Patterson has been made general superintendent of the Pittsburgh terminal, which gives him more extended authority than a division superintendent and makes him subject only to the authority of the general manager, will permit him to make some radical changes of advantage to shippers," he said. "All these changes will be made very shortly. He has authority extending both east and west and can settle all questions arising without referring them to Philadelphia."

Recorder John H. Murphy of Allegheny was a passenger on the 9 o'clock train over the Pennsylvania railroad last night.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburg.

The following were registered last night at the leading downtown hotels:

Lincoln—Mrs. James S. Duncan and daughter, Washington, Pa.; F. C. Sherrard, Akron, Ohio.

Duquesne—A. F. Tarbutton, Connellsville, Pa.; F. J. Sterrs, Connellsville, Pa.; J. W. Cabot, Johnstown, Pa.

Hemphill, H. Weeks, Salem, Ohio; Fred W. Cook, Johnstown, Pa.; Frank J. Long, Worcester, O.; W. D. Rider Jr., Canonsburg, Pa.; Charles Jacobson, Warren.

Seventh Avenue—Wilhelm C. Ludin, Charleroi, Pa.; M. McCormick, Monongahela, W. Va.; Frank Mowery, Derry, Pa.; A. Bethgey, R. F. Varnes and Ed E. Rubinstein, Johnstown, Pa.; W. F. Fredericks, Uniontown, Pa.; Mrs. H. Teichmann, Derry, Pa.; E. E. Helms, Kittanning, Pa.; T. J. Wade, Sharon, Pa.

Newell's—Maj. Fred E. Windsor, Carlton, Pa.; R. F. Orr, Franklin, Pa.; J. R. Barnes, Uniontown, Pa.; George S. McFarland, Oakdale, Pa.

Monongahela—C. J. Stephen, East Liverpool, O.; J. E. Saeltz, Erie, Pa.; W. H. Riter Jr., T. C. Riddle and W. H. North, Wheeling, W. Va.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Lewis Cuppa.

Lewis Cuppa, aged 81 years, a resident of Allegheny for more than 50 years, died Tuesday at his home, 1207 Market street, Allegheny, of heart disease, superinduced by old age. He was a son of a pioneer resident of Ross township, where he was born. At the age of 20 years he went to the gold fields of California with his parents. Later he visited Mexico, and worked in the gold fields of Australia. Returning to this country shortly before the civil war, he offered his services to the government and served several years. He was married to Miss Mary J. Cleland in 1861. Three children survive—Mrs. Ella J. Cramer, Mrs. Victoria M. Osborne and Miss Daisy B. Cuppa. He was a member of the G. A. R. and of the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

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WATERLOO AND SANS GENE

Miss Terry Seen for the First Time in the Role of the Napoleonic Washerwoman—Mr. Irving's Brewster.

Pittsburg's theatergoers had the pleasure last evening of seeing Miss Ellen Terry in a role wholly different from those to which we are wont to enjoy her splendid art as a comedienne. As Cathrine, the washerwoman of Sardou's Napoleonic play, the title of which is derived from the nick-name of its central character, "Madame Sans Gene," Miss Terry gave us an entirely new view of her versatility. The play is not unfamiliar to American theatergoers, Miss Katherine Kidder having given it its most noteworthy production, while it has had more or less general exploitation by stock companies. The role was written for Madame Bernhardt, the French actress, and in the achieved temporary success. Taken as a whole, the play is hardly up to the Irving-Terry standard, for while it does not lack interest and even genuine dramatic force in some of its scenes it is but a tinsel treatment of a theme that ... recognized as much deeper significance during the past half a century of modern personal life of Napoleon. It is true, this theme is only a background for the "Sans Gene" story, still the merit of the play is quite sufficient to excuse its weakness in detail. As the washerwoman to be later became the duchess of Dantzic and the mushroom empire of the Corsican, Miss Terry exhibits all her rare skill in comedy, with that saving exception. Even her art cannot unconvincingly pose "down" to the prologue scene in the Sardou drama. In the act one is impressed with the absence of the reality and spontaneity that are such striking characteristics of Miss Terry's work. Later, as the wife of Napoleon's marshall of the army of France, and the frank-hearted friend of the people she knew in the old days, Miss Terry recovers her vigor and her playing was delightful in the extreme. To the very large audience her interview with the emperor, after her encounter with his haughty sister, whom she had put to flight, was memorable for intense pleasure and amusement.

If there were moments of artificiality it must be set down as the result more of the incongruities of the play than to any lack of force and effectiveness in Miss Terry's work. To be frank, however, we do not believe the contrasts are seen to best advantage in this play that they have added to their repertory since their last American tour, and if anything were needed to make this conviction stronger it can be found in Mr. Irving's description of the role which, following the performance of Napoleon at the height of his career, presents the latter as a broken man, sick and weary of the world. Returning to the country shortly before the civil war, he offered his services to the government and served several years. He was married to Miss Mary J. Cleland in 1861. Three children survive—Mrs. Ella J. Cramer, Mrs. Victoria M. Osborne and Miss Daisy B. Cuppa. He was a member of the G. A. R. and of the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

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Wintering in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Childs are at Palm Beach for the season. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. O'Neill are occupying their cottage after a few weeks spent at the hotel until it was ready for them. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Evans are also at Palm Beach. Mr. and Mrs. James McCrea are the guests of Mrs. William Clark at her villa, Dig Palm Beach. Mr. and Mrs. James Laughlin, Jr., are at their winter home at Zellwood.

At the Alcazar, St. Augustine, are Mrs. Mary F. Scaife and her daughter, Miss Mary Scaife, who went south before the Christmas holidays. Miss Scaife has been quite ill, but is again enjoying the social life of the season. This is the twelfth season Mrs. Scaife has been at St. Augustine, and she also spends a part of the season also at Miami or Palm Beach.

Joshua Rhodes and Riddle D. Haworth were at St. Augustine for the annual opening of the Ponce de Leon.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Ault, Miss Ault and Mrs. and Miss Bedell are at Aiken, and among other Pittsburgh people at the same place are Dr. J. Stewart Laycock, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hartzell and Miss Louise D. Haws and her niece, Miss Mayme Baer of Johnstown, Pa.

At the Hotel Belvidere are Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Sanford and Miss Bedell of Carnegie.

Brig. Gen. William M. Wherry, of the United States army, retired, and his daughter, Miss Alice Wherry, who visited Miss Rhodes a few weeks ago, are now spending their third season at the Valencia, St. Augustine.

Wedding at Sharon.

SHARON, PA., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—One of the most brilliant weddings of the season took place this morning in Sacred Heart church, when Miss Katherine O'Brien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. O'Brien, was united in marriage to Mr. John Eagan, the Rev. Father McAdam officiating. The church was elaborately decorated and fully 200 friends witnessed the ceremony. The bride, who was attired in a beautiful dress of white crepe de chine over white silk, was attended by Miss May Hannon of Erie, Miss Mae Daley of Youngstown and the Misses Laura O'Brien and Grace O'Brien of Sharon. The bridesmaids were gowns of blue and pink. Miss Edith O'Brien, sister of the bride was maid of honor. Mr. Daniel Eagan, brother of the groom, was best man. Messrs. William McDowell, George Winters and Roy Barr of Sharon and Lester Hannon of Erie were the ushers. A wedding breakfast followed at the home of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Eagan left on an extended eastern trip. Mr. Eagan is assistant superintendent of the American Steel Casting works and a nephew of Daniel Eagan, president of that corporation.

A Silver Wedding.

This morning at 9 o'clock in the St. Mary's Roman Catholic church of Sharpsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hendrich, pioneer residents of Sharpsburg, will celebrate the 25th anniversary of their wedding. The Rev. Father Auten, pastor of the congregation, will officiate, assisted by the Rev. Fathers Heitzman, Wiest, Gerfort and Olan, all of the Pittsburgh diocese. After the ceremony will be hundreds of relatives and friends of the couple, the Hendrich family being one of the most widely known in the Allegheny valley. A general gala day has been planned by the family connections of Mr. and Mrs. Henfrich. All the members of the Miller and Henfrich families will be present, and the event will be made the occasion of a family reunion. Both Mr. Henfrich and his wife were born and have lived all their lives in Sharpsburg. They have had 12 children, nine of whom are still living. Those still living are: Miss Mary, a nun in the Sisters of the Poor convent in Brooklyn, N. Y.; Messrs. John, Joseph, Frank and Anthony, the latter studying at Holy Ghost college for the priesthood, and all living at home, and the Misses Elizabeth, Cecilia, Florence and Catherine.

Receiving at the Ball.

Col. F. I. Rutledge has secured the consent of a number of the wives of officers of the Eighteenth regiment and the Veteran corps to act as a reception committee at the regimental ball to be held at the Hotel Schenley on January 31. The receiving party will include: Mrs. Frank I. Rutledge, Mrs. James E. McNary, Mrs. A. J. Henderson, Mrs. L. L. Carson, Mrs. H. M. Hukill, Jr., Mrs. George H. Bennett, Mrs. A. W. Obert, Mrs. C. K. Reifsnyder, Mrs. George S. Ward, Mrs. R. H. Schaffer, Mrs. B. A. Aarons, Mrs. Thomas F. Wylie, Mrs. J. B. Karch, Mrs. Hannah E. Riddle, Mrs. John J. Wilson, Mrs. Harris Crawford, Mrs. S. J. Perkins, Mrs. Jere Carney, Mrs. J. B. Steen, Mrs. John Bell.

Commander Theodore E. Welderheim, of the First regiment veteran corps, Philadelphia, has written Col. Rutledge that he will be present at the ball to renew acquaintances of the Philippine campaign

HOLYROOD ABBEY AND PALACE ARE ENTERTAINING

Sad History of Queen Mary Linked With the Historic Buildings.

TOUR THAT IS DESIRABLE

New Candidates Continue to Offer Their Names for the Suffrages of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph Readers.

Holyrood palace and abbey are among the most interesting objects in Edinburgh, Scotland. The palace is indissolubly linked with the sad fortunes of Mary, Queen of Scots. Her apartments are still shown to visitors and the bloodstains on the floor said to have been made by the life fluid of Rizzio, who was murdered there. The teachers who tour Europe as the guests of The Pittsburgh Gazette and The Chronicle Telegraph will include Holyrood in their itinerary in Edinburgh.

Holyrood is just a short distance down High street from the old castle, where Queen Mary's rooms are also shown and where King James VI. was born. The palace and abbey are separate buildings. The latter was founded by David I. in 1128 and in it Charles I. was crowned in 1633. A portion of the palace was built in 1501, but the greater part dates from the reign of Charles II. of England. It was in this palace that May was married to Henry Lord Darnley, and to her third husband, the earl of Bothwell. Lord Darnley's remains repose in the royal vault of the abbey with those of David II., James II., James V. and his queen.

Intensely Interesting Place.

The visitor to the palace is conducted by a guide and shown the picture gallery, Lord Darnley's rooms, the famous tapestry room and other objects of interest. Above everything, however, is the melancholy history of Queen Mary which has fascinated readers of history for centuries. Arthurs Seat, a short distance beyond Holyrood is 822 feet high and the view from the top is excellent. The ruined chapel of St. Anthony on the way up, is associated with Scott's "Heart of Midlothian."

Between the palace and the castle are St. Giles' church, erected in the twelfth century, the ancient parish church of Edinburgh; the parliament house, with its "great hall," carved oak roof, portraits and sculpture; the house of John Knox, built in 1560; the old mansion of the earls of Moray; Cannongate Tolbooth and the old churchyard where are the graves of Dugald Stewart, Adam Smith, the poet Ferguson and others of less note. Thus the environs of Holyrood have a great attraction for tourists.

Very Desirable Tour.

The number of candidates who have entered the contest for the European tour of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph, throughout the wide territory covered, is ample evidence that the liberality of the offer is appreciated by persons who are capable of judging such matters. The vigor of the voting is proof positive that the prizes are not held lightly. The tour is, indeed, one that appeals to any educated person who is capable of attaching to the places visited their rich historical associations and of carrying away impressions of their beauty or quaintness.

The ocean voyaging alone, on stable steamers where seasickness is the exception rather than the rule, is a vacation of the most desirable sort for weary brain workers. The restfulness of the ocean can be fully appreciated only by those who are acquainted with it. It is the resort of experienced travelers who understand that nowhere else is there such absolute freedom from care or so much that is health-giving in so brief a time.

More Candidates Announce.

The new names of a day, of those who want to tour Europe in first-class style and free from the petty annoyances of foreign travel, will be found below:

Miss Helena Cox, New Cumberland schools, West Virginia.

Miss Emma Manz, Bedford school, Pittsburgh.

Miss Grace Craig, Medix Run school, Elk county.

Miss Nellie H. More, Tenth ward school, Allegheny.

Miss Laura E. Haley, Braden school, Beaver county.

Miss Mary J. Stone, Rochester school, Beaver county.

Mr. Edward P. Heath, Tepe school, Jefferson township, Allegheny county.

Miss Edna Altman, Turtle Creek school, Allegheny county.

Miss Eliza McMullen, Greensburg schools, Westmoreland county.

Mr. T. A. McCanna, Eddyville school, Armstrong county.

At a meeting of the Monongahela school board, called by President James Stinson, last evening, a resolution was offered by Secretary B. W. Stouffer, manager of the Clinton iron and steel works and for more than 35 years a member of the Central Board of Education, indorsing Miss Eleanor Keppler for the European tour of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. The resolution was adopted unanimously and the board enthusiastically recommended everybody to get busy gathering ballots.

Rules to Be Observed.

Ballots must be voted in series; those of one series must be deposited before midnight of the day the succeeding series closes. They must be filled out legibly, with full name of teacher, school where employed, town and county. They should be kept in good condition and sent in flat, not rolled or crumpled. If torn or mutilated they will not be counted.

The tour will be of more than six weeks' duration. Starts at Pittsburgh July 3; leave New York July 5, by Atlantic transport line steamer; arrives London July 15; Antwerp, July 16; Brussels, July 20; Amsterdam, July 22; Cologne, July 24; Mayence, July 25; Heidelberg, July 26; Lucerne, July 28; The Rigi, July 29; Interlaken, July 30; Paris, August 1; London, August 5; Highlands, August 8; Glasgow, August 8; leave Glasgow by Anchor Line steamer Columbus, August 9, expect to arrive New York August 17.

Who Will Be Taken.

The party will be composed of 25 teachers of the public schools, i. e., persons engaged in teaching in schools supported by public funds. They will be apportioned as follows: Twelve from the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, six from Allegheny county outside of the two cities, and seven from those parts of Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia outside of Allegheny county, but within the territory covered by the daily deliveries of The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph. They will be elected by the readers of these papers. Those having the largest votes in their respective divisions will be declared elected.

All expenses of the tour will be borne by The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph, and these papers will give each member of the party $50 in cash to gratify individual tastes. Representatives of the papers will accompany the party to arrange routes and look after the comfort of the guests.

The contest will close May 31 and the result will be announced as soon after all of the votes are in as possible. Ballots from The Pittsburgh Gazette and Chronicle Telegraph will count one vote each, and those from The Sunday Gazette will count for three votes each. The ballot will be found at the top of the second page in each issue, and attention is directed to the terms and conditions printed thereon. The whole ballot, including border, must be sent in.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were granted yesterday:

Henry Murray	Braddock
Emma Minor	Braddock
Emil Kinatz	Braddock
Mary Drobsen	Braddock
Frank Bevilaqua	Pittsburgh
Mary Hanley	Pittsburgh
Otto Gessner	Allegheny
Hilda Heini	Etna
Octave Jacquet	Arnold
Ida Thomas	Arnold
Paul Aniauf	Hope Church
Anbis Khaut	Hope Church
William H. Pottinger	East McKeesport
Ethel Ludwick	Irwin
Marcin Kantor	McKeesport
Anteis Sajdik	McKeesport
Josef Lotnak	Pittsburg
Anna Kszazok	Pittsburgh
Robert Doyle	McKees Rocks
Anna M. Wagner	McKees Rocks
Stephen Papp	Pittsburgh
Annie Koszlyo	Pittsburgh
Charles T. Murdock	Boston, Mass.
Edith M. Wilson	Pittsburgh
Robert L. Griffin	Pittsburgh
Mary B. Burns	Pittsburgh
John B. McCormick	Georgeville
Mabel Kinter	Georgeville
John Mitrik	Toronto, O.
Anna Tofi	Toronto, O.
Jerome A. Bradley	Pittsburgh
Kathryne D. Jones	Pittsburgh
Bailey Scarano	Pittsburgh
Angie Scaruno	Pittsburgh
John C. Connolly	Allegheny
Olive G. Evans	Allegheny
Alex W. Fullerton	Pittsburgh
Mary S. McClure	Pittsburgh
John Csigas	Homestead
Mary Fabian	Homestead
Edward J. Thompson	Allegheny
Clara L. Burke	Allegheny
Stef Simplin	Pittsburgh
Zuji Borodaco	Pittsburgh
Mike Rakacsky	Pittsburgh
Maggie Szeman	Pittsburgh
Samuel A. Briggs	Pittsburgh
Mary B. DeLacy	Pittsburgh
Robert R. Bauer	Pittsburgh
Ida R. Kober	Pittsburgh
Charles Taylor	Braddock
Katie Dressen	Allegheny
Jan Laterinski	Pittsburgh
Marya Biekuptak	Pittsburgh
John Suelzle	Allegheny
Maria Reinard	Allegheny

At Laird's January clearance sale 300 dozen 25c overgaiters—9c a pair; 100 dozen ladies' 20c wool soles—9c a pair, and 25c rubber shoes, in sizes 2½, 3 and 3½ at 9c a pair. Market street and Smithfield street.

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In the consolidation of the four western roads mentioned in yesterday's Gazette as intending to combine soon, a system of 2,216 miles will be formed with a combined capital of over $37,000,000. For some years past the operating relations of the Monon and the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton have been very close, and the same is true of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois and the Evansville & Terre Haute, which are the four roads affected. The object of the consolidation is to save these smaller roads from the encroachment of the Pennsylvania and the Vanderbilt systems. In course of time it is feared these lines would be so bottled up that a sale to the large systems would be forced. In a little system of their own they can much better resist the growth of the larger groups and at the same time reach many important cities from Chicago to Cincinnati. Coal, cotton, lumber and industrial products form the main classes of freight the lines are in a position to obtain.

Funeral of E. C. Schoen Today.

The funeral services of E. C. Schoen, late district passenger agent of the Northern Pacific in this territory, will be held at the Second Presbyterian church, Wheeling, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. From this city a special car over the Panhandle will carry about 25 of Mr. Schoen's former associates in the railroad business here. The car will leave on the 9:20 train this morning.

Beaver Falls Plans of Lake Erie.

No new engine house will be built by the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Company this year at Beaver Falls as was reported a few days ago. The plans of the company for improvements at that point depend largely upon the growth of the town westward toward College Hill. That point will ultimately be made the terminus of the suburban trains from Pittsburgh. To serve for the terminus there will be needed a new and larger engine house and other terminal facilities. Between the old tracks of the railroad and the present ones at College Hill the company owns sufficient ground to meet this purpose. A deep fill will be necessary. Next year will likely see this work started.

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RAILROAD NOTES.

The Norfolk & Western has ordered 30 new engines, 15 from the Baldwins, and 15 from the American Locomotive Company.

The Chicago & Alton will have medicine cases containing the ordinary remedies placed on all passenger trains for the use of any physician who may be aboard in case a passenger becomes ill.

Vice President Samuel Rea, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, who has charge of the tunnel to be dug under the Hudson river into New York city, says work will be started as soon as spring opens. Plans are now near completion.

OIL PROVING GOOD FUEL FOR ENGINES

Santa Fe Finds Heavy Texas Product Cheap, Cleanly and a Good Steam Producer.

In this oil-producing territory much interest has attached to the possibility of oil as an engine fuel as now used in the west. The Santa Fe especially has taken up oil as fuel on a wholesale scale. The road has invested $7,000,000 in oil-producing land in the Bakersfield (Cal.) region on its main line, giving a possible supply of 4,000 barrels a day. At Bagdad, N. M., a 10,000-barrel tank has been built for the oil and this fuel will soon be used exclusively between San Francisco and Albuquerque. Already it is used extensively.

On the engines the oil is carried in a tank on the tender. A high pressure is kept on the oil in the tank by means of steam from the boilers. The oil enters the firebox in the form of a fine spray. The box is made hot by wood fires before the spray is turned on. The instant this spray enters the firebox it bursts into a roaring flame. To regulate the spray and the steam pressure in the oil tank requires constant care on the part of the fireman, who needs to be quite as skillful as the fireman on a coal-using locomotive.

Perfect cleanliness is the rule in the engine. The smokestack with its clouds of smoke is a back number on that line.

The cost of the fuel is about one-half that of coal in that district. The coal used there on engines is a very inferior quality, being of too young an age geologically to have the fine steam-producing qualities of Pittsburgh coal.

Some years ago during the boom in the McDonald oil fields the Pennsylvania Railroad Company made a careful computation as to the possibility of using oil on its engines. It was found that there would be required for the engines on the main line from Pittsburgh to New York the greater part of the whole oil production of Pennsylvania. This rendered the adoption of oil here impossible. In the California and Beaumont region, however, the heavy fuel oil is obtained in such quantities that it is the cheapest as well as best fuel to be found. The oil is used there as it leaves the wells, no refining being needed for fuel uses.

J. B. Hill to Move Here April 1.

The offices of General Freight Agent J. B. Hill of the Panhandle will be removed from Columbus, O., to Pittsburgh about April 1. Orders have been issued to have the new general offices in the Union station ready for occupancy at that time. Mr. Hill is expected to bring with him a number of the employes in his department. Accommodations will be furnished on the ninth floor of the station for those offices.

Late in March the offices of Division Freight Agent S. L. Seymour of the Pennsylvania railroad will also be moved to the Union station building. These offices will be on the third floor of the building. At present they are in the Park building.

Anti-Pass Agreement Wavers.

Indications of the abandonment of the anti-exchange pass agreement in trunk line territory are visible. The attitude of President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad, who can unmake the agreement in a minute, is believed to have changed materially within the past week. Passes called "complimentary" from certain trunk lines have appeared in Chicago in the possession of officials who heretofore received exchange passes. The Pennsylvania, however, has kept to the letter of the agreement, as well as the spirit, and this method of circumventing the plan has incensed its officials. That the issue of passes makes active friends is an axiom among railroads. The question is whether the Pennsylvania will allow itself to stand out alone against the others who are making friends in this way.

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And as it is the last big sale before stock-taking, we have piled the bargain tables high with special values. Most of these goods are actually marked below manufacturers' cost. That sounds odd, but it's a fact which we trust you will come to verify. There are bargains here you'll never see the like of again. We call this a "No Disappointment" Sale because the public knows that we never disappoint. We get the crowds whenever we advertise, because the people ALWAYS get what they come for when they come to Weisser's.

French Flannel Waists

The assortment has been divided into 2 lots to make it all the easier for customers' choosing.

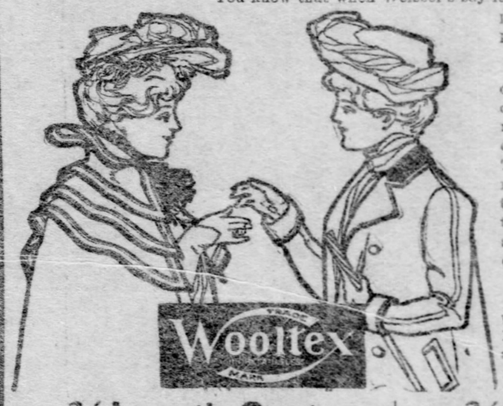
90c for choice of the first lot, comprising Flannel Waists that were $1.50, $2.50 and $3.00. We don't expect these to last more than a few hours from the time the sale starts. But remember—WE HAVE THE WAISTS. It's for you to decide whether you'll come early enough to get one at our sale price. No disappointment at Weisser's.

$1.90 for choice of second lot, comprising Flannel Waists that were $3.50 to $7.00. Some are imported goods. They'll all go quickly, like the others, so don't blame anybody but yourself if you miss this opportunity.

Greatest Sale of Raglans Ever Attempted

$12.90 For Choice of the Entire Stock.

We don't care which ones you select, although prices ranged from $18 to $40. This is not any exaggeration, remember, but the actual truth. You know that when Weisser's say it's so, it IS so. These are all high-priced Raglans—we sold the low-priced ones at the last big sale.



This is the last sale of Raglans of the season—we are closing them out preparatory to inventory. No manufacturer would think of producing such garments for $12.90. They are made in the best manner of Cheviot, Kersey and Melton, of different weights, lined throughout with heavy satin. The styles include both fly-front and double-breasted effects.

Don't forget that $12.90 gives you choice of the entire stock. Make your own selection at will—and remember that there's no disappointment at Weisser's.

¾-Length Coats

$11.90 FOR CHOICE (former prices $25 to $40).

Various sizes, made of fine Kersey, Melton and Montenac; only 52 in this lot, so when they are gone there will be no more this season at $11.90. This fact is mentioned to urge our regular customers to get here first.

¾-Length Coats

$6.90 FOR ¾ LENGTH COATS (former prices $12 and $15).

Well made and well lined—unheard of bargains. Only 31 in this lot, however. You can't come too early for them. We shall supply customers as fast as they come—first come, first served. No disappointment.

WALKING SUITS At Tremendous Reductions.

$3.90 FOR LADIES' $10 WALKING SUITS.

This is a brief notice, but it's FACT. We have the Suits at this ridiculous price. No disappointment if you come in time.

$9.90 FOR LADIES' $15, $18, $20 AND $22.50 WALKING SUITS.

You can figure the difference for yourself. $9.90 will be the price while they last. That means, Get Here Early. No disappointment at Weisser's.

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CHILDREN'S CAPS.
5 doz. Children's Caps—sold from 50c to $1.00—going at 19c
3 doz. Children's Caps—sold from 75c to $1.00—going at 45c
Remainder of Children's Caps—sold from $1.25 to $2.00—going at 90c

FASCINATORS.
10 doz. Fascinators—all colors—sold at 25c and 35c—going at 15c
5 doz. Fascinators—sold from 50c to $1.00—going at 35c

UMBRELLA SHAWLS.
Sold from $2.00, $2.25 and $2.50—going at 90c

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Sold at $1.00 and $1.25—going at 69c
Sold from $1.50 to $2.00—going at 98c
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INFANTS' EIDERDOWN COATS.
Up to 3 years—sold at $1.75—going at 90c
Infants' Eiderdown Coats—sold at $2.50 and $3.50—going at $1.90
Remainder of Infants' Coats up to 3 years—sold at $3.50 to $6.50—going at $2.90

OSTRICH TIPS.
8 doz. black Ostrich Tips—sold at 25c—going at 10c
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WOMEN'S TRIMMED HATS
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$2.90 for any of our $5 and $6 Hats.
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One lot fancy Neck Ribbons—all colors—15c and 19c grades—going at 7c
Taffeta Ribbons—all colors:
No. 5 ..... 2 cents a yard.
No. 7 ..... 3 cents a yard.
No. 9 ..... 5 cents a yard.
No. 12 ..... 6 cents a yard.
Lot of Liberty Satin, Satin Taffeta and Taffeta Ribbon—all colors—sold at 25c and 25c—going at 19c

$6.90 FOR ANY OF OUR 27-INCH COATS—ALL REDUCED TO ONE PRICE.

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$6.90 for choice of all our Children's higher grade Coats—mostly $10, $12.50 and $14 Coats.

CAPE REDUCTIONS.

$5 Golf Capes at $1.90.
$18 Golf Capes at $3.90.
$8 to $14 Plush Capes at $4.90.

$9.90 FOR FINE PATTERN CAPES THAT WERE AS HIGH AS $25.

This is one of the most sensational bargains of the sale, for these beautiful Pattern Capes include both black and colored goods, finest Kersey, exquisitely lined with heavy satin; some are embroidered, others appliqued. It's a bargain for those who can appreciate the finest apparel. And we have the Capes—no disappointment at Weisser's.

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Spalding Has Won All the Points

A. G. SPALDING HAS WON EVERY POINT IN THE CONFLICT

The Baseball Situation Is Summed Up by a Chicago Expert.

FOUR CLUBS TO STICK

They Have an Iron-Clad Agreement to Begin the Season Without Freedman—Dreyfuss Plays an Important Part in the Big Battle.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—The following summing up of the baseball situation is by a man who is in close touch with both the Spalding and Freedman factions of the National League:

"There are indications in the baseball world that the controversy between the Spalding and Freedman factions in the National league has been practically closed. Spalding, it appears, arranged matters in such a satisfactory way during his recent visit to Chicago that he and his friends feel that no further campaign is necessary. Spalding has gone to the southwest for a short trip, but he has not lost his grip upon the throttle by any means for the reason that he has appointed C. D. White, for eight years president of the Eastern league, his personal representative to look after any matters that may come up during his absence. White's address is 149 Wabash avenue, Chicago, Ill., where all communications will reach him.

Has Not Changed His Plans.

"Spalding's move in leaving the scene of action in such a confident manner is regarded as a particularly bold piece of business in view of the many influences at work to bring together the warring elements, for instance the proposition of John B. Day to have a committee of three, including Young, Spalding and himself, run the affairs of the league and thereby patch up a truce, but that is out of order, for Spalding some time ago outlined his fight and since then has had no reason to change his plan of action.

"Several letters have been made public in Chicago written by Spalding before his departure for the southwest and from the tone of these letters any one who has followed the baseball situation will become firmly convinced that there has been a positive agreement entered into by the four clubs supporting Spalding to fight this thing to a finish and go on, if necessary, without Andrew Freedman and his New York club.

"The fact that Dreyfuss was in Chicago is significant, for in his recent letter to Spalding, published broadcast, he stated therein he was subject to a telegraphic call from Spalding at any time. Apparently the telegraph was used with the result that Dreyfuss went to Chicago, accepted the final plans and then came out with his very strong and positive statement that he was with Spalding to a finish and if necessary would go on with a four-club league, also declaring that to wait for a decision in courts was folly, because it might not be decided in an ordinary lifetime.

Have Agreed to Stand Together.

"This on top of the interview given out by Spalding in Chicago is conclusive evidence that a plan of action has been outlined that there will be baseball next year, the National league will be in the game, for Spalding has stated positively that Pittsburgh, Chicago, Philadelphia and Brooklyn would go through the season intact, that they would play out a four-club schedule if necessary, not that things would be more than four clubs, but that the National league would be composed of four and not more than eight clubs. There might possibly be five, six, seven or eight clubs scheduled for 1902.

"In regard to this compact among these clubs there is positive evidence that they have drawn up and signed an agreement of this kind of such a binding nature that it will be impossible for them to break from it without entailing further legal proceedings. On the other hand, the wireless John T. Brush's five-thousand word letter published last Monday, 'Here we are a house divided against itself with a successful foe waiting to reap the benefits,' and John B. Day's inspired plea for harmony are evidences that the Freedman faction, of which Brush is the acknowledged leader, is getting weak in the knees.

Backed By Organized Ball.

"Spalding's fight all along has been for the reorganization of baseball with certain flagrant evils cut out. In this fight Spalding has had the support of organized ball all over the United States, while they had not only the backing of one-half of the National league clubs, but also the backing of the American league and the National Association of Professional Leagues, which comprises 18 minor organizations from Maine to California. This support remains today as strong as it was in the beginning, if not stronger, so that Spalding feels that whatever moves he may make between now and the opening of the playing season toward the furtherance of his plan, will meet with the approval of organized baseball and the public at large.

"The two days that Spalding has been in Chicago, his conferences with Ban Johnson, Barney Dreyfuss and Jim Hart, and his arrangement for a meeting of organized baseball representatives to frame the playing rules point strongly that Spalding has won in every point thus far, that the matter is now closed to the baseball papers, and that we must wait patiently for the cry of 'play ball.'"

BEAVER'S TEAM BEATEN.

High School Rolled Up Big Score on the College Lads.

The Pittsburgh high school basketball team won its fourth consecutive victory yesterday afternoon at high school by defeating the Beaver college team by the big score of 48 to 7. The Beaver team did not seem to be near as strong as it was reported to be. There was almost a total lack of team play on their part, while the high school boys were especially strong in their team work. The first half of the game was a walkover for high school. The high school forwards seemed to be able to shoot field goals at will. In the second half, however, the Beaver boys played better. Bonner entered the game then, and put up a strong game. Nichel's work was splendid. He threw in nine goals and four from foul. The Beaver boys insisted that the rooms be kept by the National rules of two points for a field goal, instead of three, and so the score is reported.

High School—48.	Beaver College—7.
Orr	R.F. ..... Barr-Bonner
McCrory	L.F. ..... Mecklem-Robinson
Nickel	C. ..... Sanford
Sheen	R.G. ..... Robinson-Mecklem
Morgan	L.G. ..... N. Mecklem

Field goals—Orr 3, McCrory 4, Nickel 11, Sheen 2, Morgan 1, Sanford 1. Foul goals—Nickel 4, Robinson 2, Bonner 1. Foul goals missed—Nickel 3, Robinson 3, Bonner 4. Referee—Louis Keller of Mar. Liberty. Umpire—Mr. Rosser of Duquesne. Timekeeper—Mr. MacFadyen of Duquesne. Scorer—Mr. Moses.

DECISION FOR DUFFY.

The Chicago Man Again Outpoints Art Simms.

DETROIT, Jan. 22.—Martin Duffy of Chicago was given the decision over Art Simms of Akron, O., by Referee Siler tonight, at the close of a splendid 15-round fight before the Twentieth Century Athletic club. It was a hard decision to make as both men were nearly out at different times. Duffy in the ninth after a hard left to the jaw and a right over the heart, and Simms in the 14th, when Duffy alternated his left and right several times on Art's head. Duffy did more leading throughout, however, and sent his left straight to Simms' jaw almost at will. It is the second time Duffy has secured the decision over Simms.

LEWIS CREATES STIR AT CORNELL

LOCAL BOY MAKES THIRD BASE ON THE 'VARSITY NINE.

Distances Old Players — Pittsburgh Schools Are at Work on an Interscholastic Baseball League — High School Will Have Fine Running Track.

The activity of former Pittsburgh schoolboys in the athletics of the various large eastern colleges continues unabted and the latest announcement to swell the pride of the local followers of amateur sports, and especially in high school circles, deals with the selection of Phil

"PHIL" LEWIS,
Of Pittsburgh, Who Will Play Third Base for the Cornell Varsity Nine.

Lewis to play third base on the 'varsity baseball nine of Cornell university. Lewis while attending Pittsburgh high school was one of the most prominent of all the Smoky City athletes, being a leader in football, basketball, hockey and basketball. Since his entrance at the famous Ithaca school his has been one continuous succession of triumphs.

He was immediately elected captain of the freshmen baseball team, and also played on the 'varsity hockey seven. At the begining of indoor baseball practice in the cage word was received that he was playing havoc with the pitchers.

Lewis Replaced an Old Player.

His strength with the stick and his general fitness for the position has culminated in his replacing an old player, who has filled the third position for three years. His selection by no less an authority than Hugh Jennings, the famous member of the pennant winning Baltimore National league team was enough in itself, but the fact that he replaced an old man speaks more strongly than any words of praise for his worth as a ball player. Other high schoolboys who are prominent at Cornell are Ralph Ellis and Hugh Ferguson, both playing on the hockey team.

What will be among the most welcome announcements ever received by followers of loval school athelitics tells of the practical completion of all arrangements for the formation of a Interscholastic baseball league to include the same schools which are now competing in the Interscholastic Basketball league. Shady Side, Pittsburgh high school, East Liberty academy and Allegheny Preparatory school will probably be all the schools in the league. A league of this nature will fill a long felt want in local school circles and speaks in itself of the better understanding existing among the schools.

Season Tickets Proposed.

A system to arouse interest at the respective schools and which will at least be tried at high school contemplates the selling of season tickets to the scholars admitting the holders to all league contests.

The high school athletes are happy over the securing of a $1,000 appropriation for the use of the athletic committee. The heaviest improvements contemplated with the money at present are the construction of shower baths in the clubhouse at the new grounds—Friendship Park—and the building of a first class half mile cinder path around the park. This will give an incentive to track athletics.

HOW WAGNER SIGNED.

President Dryfuss Sees About His Players.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—Bookmaker Johnny Fay is a great admirer of Barney Dreyfuss, and while the Pittsburgh magnate was in the city Monday Fay had a long chat with him. Dreyfuss told him the story connected with the signing of Hans Wagner last fall. Fay tells it this way:

"Hans dropped into Dreyfuss' office one day with a letter from Charley Somers, that Cleveland chap who owns the Boston American league club. In that letter Somers offered Hans $9,000 for two years; would put the money in bank, and Hans could draw it whether he played or not.

"'Say, look at dis,' said Hans to Barney.

"'Well, Hans, what do you want to do?' was Barney's query, after reading the letter.

"'I want to play right here,' was the reply.

"'Well, here is a contract; fill it out, and I will be satisfied.'

"Hans took the contract and put in $3,000, just $1,500 less than Boston offered him. Barney did the same thing with all his players, and in each instance he got them to play for less than he would have offered had it been left to him. Dreyfuss is the best man baseball ever had connected with it. He knows how to handle players, and that is why he won the pennant last year."

THE CANADIAN CRACKS.

Frontenac Team Plays Its First Game Tonight.

The Frontenac hockey team will arrive in Pittsburgh today, confident of taking three games from the locals. Before leaving Kingston, Ont., the Canadians gave it out that they expected to win all of the contests in this city. The first game will be this evening between the visitors and the Keystones, leaders in the Western Pennsylvania hockey league men. The Keystones are touted hard as the likely winners of the trophy cup this season, and the Canucks will have to play the game if they capture a victory this evening or any other night this week. The Frontenacs come to Pittsburgh with the reputation of being one of the most scientific teams in this country or Canada, and with a strong line-up, declare they will make their initial appearance in this city a notable one, both as to the games won and as to the speedy game that will be put up. The line-up will be as follows for this evening:

Frontenac.	Keystone.
W. Mills	Goal ..... Young
Ross-Murphy	Point ..... Sammons
Bike-Young	Cover Point ..... Bish
Emery	Center ..... Morrison
Rogers-Walsh	Forward ..... Sexsmith
Powell-Robinson	Left Wing ..... Westcott
Hiscock	Right Wing ..... Clones

Fitzsimmons Not Badly Hurt.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—(Special.)—A slight fall that Robert Fitzsimmons had yesterday led to reports that the pugilist had been badly injured, but he late tonight said that he had only been a little bruised by a fall.

This signature on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day. 121lv ads

FOUL RIDING BY JOCKEYS AT OAKLAND

Durazzo Was Disqualified in Third Event and O'Connor Was Fined.

MOUNTEBANK A SURPRISE

Was Played Down in Second Event and Won as He Pleased—Green B. Morris Leads the Winners in the 'Frisco Races.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Jan. 22.—A disqualification in the two-year-old event was among the incidents of the racing at Oakland today. Durazzo, a 10 to 1 shot, from the stable of J. B. Morris, bumped and carried Sylvia Talbot wide through the stretch and beat the 1 to 3 favorite a length. Durazzo was disqualified and placed last. The judges fined O'Connor $50 for foul riding. Mountebank, in the second race, was played from 10 to 6 to 1, and won as he pleased. Rio de Altar broke down in the last race and fell. Ransom escaped injury.

Green B. Morris heads the list of winning owners, with $15,200 to his credit; Burns and Waterhouse are second with $11,800, and W. B. Jennings third with $8,250. The next in order are E. J. Baldwin & Co., $6,500; Caesar Young, $6,000; J. Coffey, $6,000; Dr. Rowell, $4,450; D. S. Fountain, $3,800; J. Schorr, $3,500.

Corrigan made his first appearance this season in the Point Arena handicap, and won easily.

First race, 11-16 of a mile, three-year-olds, maidens—Moabina, 107, J. Woods, 8 to 5, won; Jungfrau, 107, Mounce, 5 to 1, second; Tibs, 107, See 50 to 1, third. Time, 1:11. Knockings, Annie Max, Meteore, Sterling Towers, Ursula and Gratossa also ran.

Second race, futurity course, selling—Mountebank, 107, Vickery, 10 to 1, won; Light Ball, 103; L. Jackson, 4 to 1, second; Harry Thatcher, 107, See 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:12⅘. Fool Play, Antolee, Malakwa, Pupil, Woeful and Intrda also ran.

Third race, 7-16 of a mile, two-year-olds—Sylvia Talbot, 115, Mounce, 1 to 3, won; *Adirondack, 109, Ransch, 4 to 1, second; *Alta Wan, 115, Bullman, 4 to 1, third. Time, :43. Delsegno, Durazzo, Organdie and Clarinette also ran. Durazzo won and was disqualified for fouling.

Fourth race, one mile, selling—Rollick, 104, Ransch, 4 to 5, won; Decoy, 104, O'Connor, 4 to 1, second; Wyoming 109, J. Woods 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1:43. Herculean also ran.

Fifth race, one mile handicap—Corrigan, 110, Ransch, 7 to 5, won; Commissioner Forster, 105, J. Woods, 3½ to 1, second; Hamretta, 95, L. Jackson, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:43⅘. Milas, Ishtar and Pedan also ran.

Sixth race, ¾ of a mile, selling—Pompino, 109, See, 5 to 1, won; Redwald, 109, Bullman, 8 to 1, second; Bard Burns 111, Mounce, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:15¾. Arbacea, Grand Sechem, Quiz II, The Singer, Pat Morrissey, San Venado and Cuban Girl also ran. Riomde Altar fell.

Entries for tomorrow:

First race, mile and fifty yards, selling—Rimrock, 107, William E. Newsgatherer, 100; Bob Palmer, 111; Rushbilds, Nilgar, 113.

Second race, 11-16 of a mile, selling—Berender, Ural, 103; Hilary, 107; Patsy Dolan, 115; Ingo, 99; Catherine Bravo, Fidel, Youlin, 105; The Gaffier, 113; Victoria S, 89; Marato, 122; Constable, 101; Lemuel, 104.

Third race, 7-16 of a mile, two-year-olde—Adirondack, The Phantom, Dotierel, Jennie McGowan, 110; Oraviva, 113; Mireana, 105.

Fourth race, five furlongs, selling—Rubino, Robert Bonner II, Sir Clans, John H. Carr, The Maniac, 109; Dulchner, 107; Quiet, 122; Baltese, 110; Angelino, John Peter, Phil Crimmins, Maj. Bird, Bendara, 112.

Fifth race, ¾ of a mile, selling—Musesca, 90; St. Sever, Vasallo, 97; Sir Lewis, Huachuca, 109.

Sixth race, mile, selling—Bathos, Capt. Gaines, 110; Dangerous Maid, 112; Captivate, 105; Invictus, Lavator, Alcah II, Flamero, Parelfal, Monday, 107; Gibraltar, 117; Diderot 114.

*Burns and Waterhouse entry.

THE NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Only One Favorite Could Make Good Yesterday.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 22.—Lady Alberta was the only winning favorite today. Death was sold today to H. Robinson at private sale for $2,000. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—Lady Alberta, 99, Lyne, 3 to 5, won; Free Coinage, 119, T. Welsh, 5 to 1, second; Fickle Saint, 102, T. Dean, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:14. Homage, Lady Kent, Alpaca, Rival Dare, Digby Bell and Miss Conrad also ran.

Second race, 1⅛ miles, selling—Linden Elia, 112, Slack, 3 to 1, won; Prince Real, 114, Coburn, 2 to 1, second; Socapa, 109, J. Miller, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:53¼. Pay the Fiddler, Radiant Heat, Precursor, Helen Paxton, Anna Darling, Glade Run and Elmeran also ran.

Third race, steeplechase handicap, short course—Fidella, 141, Johnson, 13 to 5, won; Old Fox, 138, Hayes, 18 to 5, second; Golden Link, 148, J. Weber, 6 to 1, third. Time, 3:01. Eva Moe, King Elkwood, Capt. Conover and Gassoon also ran. Coley ran out of the course.

Fourth race, 8 furlongs, handicap—Arden, 101, T. Dean, 9 to 2, won; Nellie Waddell, 105, Blake, even, second; Maggie Davis, 100, J. Waldo, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:14⅖. Velma Clark, Ida Ledford, Tom Kingsley and Amigari also ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile, selling—Jena, 105, Coburn, 4 to 1, won; Kingstelle, 97, Cochran, 3 to 1, second; Pirate's Queen, 98, T. Dean, 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:45½. Mr. Phinizy, Bean, Fannie Maud and Princess Plymouth also ran.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Cholrmaster, 112, 13 to 5, won; Trentham, 100, Wilkerson, 8 to 5, second; Frank Jones, 102, Lyne, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:29¾. Carlovingian, The Messenger, Leroy D., Sand Flea, The Fashion, Loka and Veritable Boy also ran.

Entries for Thursday:

First race, 6 furlongs—Orla, Little Emmy, 90; Quite Right, Nyx, The Bronze Demon, 105; Reefer, 105, Little Jack Horner, 107; Royal Sterling, John Grigsby, 110; Weird, 112; Ecome, 115.

Second race, 1¼ miles, selling—Axim, The Jefferson, John Bull, 100; Lady Enell, Dal Keith, 103; Pay the Fiddler, Prince Real, El Ghor, 107; Precursor, Campus, 108.

Third race, 3 furlongs, for 2-year-old fillies—Francis Porter, Sue Vius, Imp Lady Winkle, Brulo, 110; Offset, 110 and Lizzie Brooks, 115, Morris & Walden entry; Princess Tulane, Lady Matchless, 115.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Silver Coin, 92; Scarlet Lily, 94; Resola, 96; John McCarty, 99.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Ben Hulham, 92; Add. Boba, Albert F. Dewey, Poynte, 103; Dutch Garter, Alex, Gala Day, 104 Neva M., 107; Tom Kingsley, 109; Joe Dough, E. G. Fox, 111.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Wild Bess, 81; Little Lois, 91; Beauty Book, 98; Socapa, 100; Eda Riley, Cast Iron, 101; St. Wood, 107.

Played to a Standstill.

The high school and East Liberty academy hockey teams played each other to a standstill as Duquesne garden yesterday afternoon. In two 20-minute halves neither team could score, and an additional 10 minutes were played with no score. The game was rather a slow exhibition on the part of both teams.

READY TO BID FOR A RAILROAD

PITTSBURGHER WANTS PRICE ON WESTERN MARYLAND.

Samuel R. MacLean Writes the Mayor of Baltimore, but Declines to Divulge the Name of His Client—West Virginia Central Optioned.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BALTIMORE, MD., Jan. 22.—Another bidder appeared in the field today for the city's interest in the Western Maryland railroad in the person of Samuel R. MacLean of Pittsburgh. Mr. MacLean's letter to the mayor, dated Pittsburgh, January 20, is as follows:

Hon. Mr. Hayes: Dear Sir—There seems to be quite a spirited contest for securing your good city's holding of the Western Maryland Railroad Company, which, it is understood, amounts to the control. Messrs. Henderson and Kindred of Philadelphia, with Mr. Hambleton of Baltimore, seem to be in the lead of bidders therefor, but as I have had frequent occasion for the purchase of similar legal control of corporations and enjoy an extensive patronage of sound financial clients, therefore, now that I have a special customer who would entertain said purchase specified, and would go one better than those reported already to you, I beg to respectfully suggest that if your confidence were secured in the point of you reporting to me the best terms you have firmly secured, my client assures me an improvement upon any bid aforiable by the above stated parties would be favorably considered.

Many years ago I had much to do in securing for your city (through the county finance commission and Mr. Henry Whelan of Philadelphia) a very high price for your city's holding of Allegheny county (Pa.) subscription to Baltimore & Ohio, Pittsburgh & Connellsville railroad bonds and others. What have you now able to suggest to yours faithfully,

SAMUEL R. M'LEAN.

Mayor Hayes answered the letter, stating that the property is for sale and that bids would be entertained.

Bidders Not Pittsburghers.

Mr. MacLean, mentioned in the above dispatch, is a Pittsburgh dealer in investment securities. He was seen at his office in the Ferguson building, 311 Fourth avenue, yesterday in regard to the reported deal.

"The bid is made in the interest of clients of mine," he said. "They are not Pittsburghers, and the matter does not come to me as a local deal. I will not say whether or not the bids are made in the interest of either the Pennsylvania or the Goulds. To name the parties to it now would be to disclose too much at the present stage of the deal. The bid was made four days ago in a confidential way, and I am surprised that it has become public.

Will Make Best Bid.

"We are prepared to make the best bid so far, and we will go the next man one better right along. Of course there is no mention made publicly now of the figure offered."

Mr. McLean claims to have much experience in dealing in railroad properties. He says he secured the controlling interest in the Northern Central for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in 1870, and besides has figured in deals in the old Steubenville & Indiana, the original Panhandle, the reorganization of the Northern Pacific 10 years ago, and various other deals. He says that because he has represented the Pennsylvania in deals of years ago it must not be thought that he is connected with that interest at present. It comes, he says, from sources that have not heretofore entered the contest for the control of the road.

West Virginia Central Optioned.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Jan. 22.—Ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, president of the West Virginia Central & Pittsburgh railroad, has gone to New York on business connected with the much-discussed railway deal. General Manager C. L. Bretz, Superintendent of Motive Power Kalbaugh, and General Superintendent Fairfax S. Landstrest of the coal department are there. When asked for a statement regarding the reported sale of the road, Mr. Davis said:

"You may say this: An option has been offered for a majority of the stock, and there is a strong possibility that it will be accepted. I am now en route to New York to look fully into the matter. I will say further that the option is not held by parties representing either the Pennsylvania or the Baltimore & Ohio railroads."

Today's Trial Lists.

Common pleas court No. 1—Day vs. Geiger, Ballow vs. Keystone Laundry Company, Bergner & Co. vs. Cohen et al, Fulton vs. Bell, Wallace vs. Pennsylvania Savings Fund & Loan association, Ganasa vs. Consolidated Traction Company, Tabor vs. Pittsburgh Provision Company, Kaufman vs. Kirker.

Common pleas No. 2—Borough of Tarentum vs. Hemphill, borough of Tarentum vs. Galbraith, borough of Tarentum vs. Mahaffey, Galbraith vs. borough of Tarentum, Evans vs. borough of Tarentum, Galbraith vs. borough of Tarentum, McAngie vs. borough of Tarentum, Kallenbaugh vs. borough of Tarentum, Thomas vs. borough of Tarentum, Mehler vs. borough of Tarentum, Matheys vs. Allemannia Fire Insurance Company, Devorude vs. Allemannia Fire Insurance Company—Motion to dismiss. Fire Insurance Company, Dixon vs. Mohr, Barton vs. Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, Fischer vs. Kerr.

Common pleas No. 3—Kelly vs. Klicker et al, Thomas vs. borough of Turtle Creek, Bryt vs. Wanner, White vs. Northern Central Life Insurance Company, Daumrie vs. Winkler, Pressel et ux vs. Booth & Flinn, Brainard vs. Loewenstein, Davis vs. Moore, Puga vs. Henderson, Dr. Hart vs. Grogan.

Sharpsburg's Team Outclassed.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Jan. 22.—(Special.)—The Sharpsburg basketball team was defeated here tonight by the unbeaten Y. M. C. I. team, by a score of 44 to 12. The first half was for points and was one-sided, the visitors being outclassed. The second half was a funmaker, and the local players pitched the ball into the visitors' hands and allowed them to make field goals. Score and lineup:

Steubenville—44.	Sharpsburg—12.
Gaughan	R.F. ..... Dixon
Needham	L.F. ..... Reed
Hamilton	C. ..... Eisengart
Houser	R.G. ..... Mellon
Horst	L.G. ..... Walker

Field goals—Houser 7, Hamilton 6, Gaughan 3, Needham 2, Burns 1, Dickson 2, Kline 2. Foul goals—Hamilton 4, Dixon 1, Kline 1. Criswell 1, Eisengart 1. Kline and Criswell took places on the visiting team in the second half.

Famous Horseman Dead.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 22.—Bob Kneeb, the horseman who became famous a few years ago through his imprisonment in Germany for racing an alleged "ringer," Bethel, is dead. He was 55 years old.

FEAR A RIVAL COMPANY MAY GET PATENTS

Equity Suit to Restrain the Withdrawal of Application for Letters.

PARTNERS AFTER MILLER

American Gas Construction & Manufacturing Company Claims an Inventor Refuses to Keep an Agreement and Is About to Sell Out.

A bill in equity was filed by Dr. J. O. Connell, R. D. Brent and the American Gas Construction and Manufacturing Company against Theodore R. Miller to restrain the defendant from withdrawing his application for certain letters patent and from disposing of the application to any person or persons than the plaintiffs. It was alleged Miller, Connell and Brent agreed to organize a company to construct gas plants under two patents held by Miller, with a capital stock of $300,000. It is claimed Miller was to receive expenses, that he was to have a situation and a controlling interest, while his partners were to furnish the money.

The company, it is alleged, was formed with a capital of but $1,000, after which Miller refused to turn over the application for letters patent. The plaintiffs say they requested Miller to carry out his part of the agreement, or assign the application and patents to a trustee, which he refused to do. It is also stated it is feared Miller will turn the letters patent over to the W. J. McClurg Gas Construction Company and that he has taken this stand because the company was capitalized at $1,000 instead of $300,000.

Lawyers' Examining Board Named.

The board of examiners for admission to the Allegheny county bar was named yesterday. It consists of Attorneys R. U. Jackson, J. C. Boyd, William S. Dalzell, Robert E. Stewart, Samuel J. Graham, W. H. S. Thomson, John D. McKerrmen and J. L. Ritchey.

New Suits Entered.

New suits were filed as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

Plaintiff.	Defendant.	Action.
G. H. Kercher—	J. H. Taylor	Assp
G. H. Kercher—	J. H. Fraser	Sci fa rev
John F. Haller—	George W. Miller et al	Assp

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

Frederick Bullock—	Federal Building & Loan Association ..... Assp
Jacob Hasley—	William Netmler ..... Tres
F. H. Gosser—	William M. Simcox ..... Ap
Chicago Lumber & Coal Company—	The Pittsburgh Brass Company ..... Assp
M. A. G. Workman—	Anna Caldwell Saunders ..... Jdgt
L. A. Kelly—	H. M. Mackenzie ..... Ap
J. W. Johnston—	Book & Stationery Co. ..... Ap
Pine Bluff State Fair Association—	C. L. Jones ..... Assp
N. Lindeman—	Celeste P. Hughes ..... Assp
Charles Mcnell—	Benjamin Penman ..... Tres

COMMON, PLEAS NO. 3

William B. Bennett—	J. M. Denheim & Bro. ..... Assp
J. W. Johnston—	Book & Stationery Co. ..... Jdgt
Harvey A. Lowry, use—	George MacMillan et al ..... Assp
M. C. O'Brien—	Thomas Kain et al ..... Rep
Safe Deposit & Trust Company—	James R. Gemmill ..... Ex att

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Appraisers were appointed by Judge Joseph Buffington of the estates of Annie Cohen and Nathan Rosenfeld.

William R. Blair, referee in the case of Henry C. Berger, filed a schedule showing liabilities of $2,686 and assets of $1,000.

E. M. Underwood, referee, was directed to take further steps in settling the case of Bernard Berkman, bankrupt.

Executions were issued as follows: E. M. Sandys vs. Flora M. Sears, $250; Robert Simbet vs. George Shope, $5,444.

Frank L. Harvey of Foxburg, Pa., was appointed referee in bankruptcy of Clarion county for all cases pending.

Letters of administration were taken out by Ann Gibbs on the estate of her husband, J. Gibbs. Attorney James W. Kinnear represents the estate.

The following were discharged from bankruptcy: Albert W. Riebold of Butler county, William Rower, Mifflin county, and Elon M. Smith, Erie county.

A divorce was granted in the case of William A. Cherry against Louise M. Cherry upon the grounds of desertion. Eular L. Rixey secured a decree for divorce, naming Ada Watson as co-respondent.

The amount of the Pennsylvania Trust Company, receivers of Frank Fellman, bankrupt, was filed, a balance of $2,602 the court ordered the receivers to hold as trustees and include in their final report.

The will of James McCance, deceased, was filed for probate yesterday. An estate valued at $250,000 is left, $200 whereof is directed to be used in erecting a tombstone for himself and wives. The balance of the estate is divided among his six children.

Louise C. Chaffee of Bradford, McKean county, was ordered by the court yesterday to appear in court March 11 and show cause why she should not be adjudged a bankrupt. A subpoena was issued upon her some time ago, but as she could not be located, was never served.

The case of W. F. Russell against R. McAnulty and Max Meryle to go to trial. It is claimed Russell bought Bryt vs. Wanner from the defendants for $650, that he paid $50 down and was to pay the balance in two weeks, but before this time elapsed the defendants sold the same to Wanner. Damages are asked.

An answer was filed to the bill in equity of John W. Cook, which was brought to compel James S. Lewis and W. A. Lewis, as executioners of the estate of James C. Lewis, deceased, to fulfill an alleged agreement for the sale of property in Ben Avon for $35,000. The defendants allege that if H. W. Armstrong sold the property he did so without authority from them and that they knew nothing of it.

The following verdicts were returned for the city of Pittsburgh in actions growing out of fatal injuries for sewers: Plaintiffs Louisa Haller, $491 62; Samuel Gamsova, W. E. O. M. Otting, $50 50; W. R. Broughton, $200 83; Walter Chess, $420; Eugene S. Kerr, $96 51; Elizabeth B. Kennedy, $1,042 87; A. Gabel, $107 04; H. F. Gabel, $225 19; E. M. Gabel, $24 80; J. F. Alrich, $224 84; Joseph S. Seaman, $347; Annie D. Childs, $109 40.

A statement was filed yesterday in the case of Charles Mikesell against Benjamin Federman, an action growing out of the recent Republican primaries in the Fourth ward, McKeesport. The plaintiff says that while he was standing at one of the polling places in the ward the defendant assaulted him, after which he was taken to the lockup and kept for a time and was discharged. He says the alleged assault was without provocation and $2,000 damages are demanded.

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The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

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SOLICITOR—An experienced advertising solicitor for a first-class weekly publication. Address, with references, G 850, The Gazette. 123c

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YOUR case handled promptly by us. THE MERCANTILE, 616 Penn ave.

WANTED.

Female Help.

GIRL—Experienced girl for general housework. 809 Cedar ave, Allegheny. 122gc

GIRLS—Two; one for down stairs work; other chambermaid, to assist in care of child; thoroughly experienced only. Apply Thursday, 4856 McPherson st., corner Dallas ave., East End. 123jc

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432 Wood st. Most modern, progressive, thorough and practical school in Western Pennsylvania. Under the personal direction of Mr. MARSHALL H. RENO, for over 15 years engaged reporting in the Allegheny county and United States courts; Mr. E. L. WOODWARD, for many years professor of shorthand in the Pittsburgh High school, and Mr. H. G. BURTNER, for seven years professor of penmanship in the same institution, assisted by Miss EMMA C. SAWHILL and other expert instructors. Day and evening sessions. Call or send for catalogue. Bell telephone 2526 Court. 117h

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WANTED—200 HOUSES.
in Allegheny and suburbs. Many applications from good tenants.
HENRY W. ARMSTRONG,
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WANTED—A tutor for personal instructions in algebra. Answer by letter at once. Address Sheridan C. Sell, 1513 Lincoln ave., Pittsburgh. 121fc

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WANTED—Small farms, near railroad, suitable for poultry, fruit and gardening. S. J. Fleming, 445 4th ave. 122gc

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Metal Patterns.
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Light Machine Work.
COOKE PLATING WORKS,
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WANTED—Old and new carpets, Bought and sold. Call and see us. Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co., 625 Pennsylvania ave. 126h

WANTED—You to examine our printing carefully. Satisfaction guaranteed. H. C. Knapp, 3521 Butler st. Bell 'phone 81 Fisk; P. & A. 81 Lawrence. 1016h

WANTED—Women to see our odds and ends in fine shoes we are offering at half original price and good shoes that fit comfortably. 121h CAIN, 503 Market st.

WANTED—Every firm in the city to try H. C. Knapp, the printer, 3521 Butler st., for satisfactory commercial printing. Both 'phones. 1016h

AIR COMPRESSOR—Rent or buy; 500 feet free all a minute. Dilworth Coal Co., Penn bldg. 123fc

WANTED—Men to see our $3.50 enameled or patent leather heavy double sole. 121h CAIN, 503 Market st.

ROOMERS and boarders, 202 East Robinson st., Allegheny. 123c

WEAR Cain's shoes for sore and tired feet. 503 Market st. 14h

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT.
Your name and address, and we will send you the largest rent list in the city every week.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
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311 Fourth ave.
121xxpvh

FOR RENT—18 minutes from Fifth and Wood st. 10 those new brick houses of 4 rooms, kitchen and attic. All conveniences on Clarissa st., near Herron ave. 1126h

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FOR RENT—EAST END.
5016 Rippey, near N. Highland ave., 10 rooms, well improved; $60.
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1040 Murray Hill ave., 15 rooms; modern fixtures.
Send for printed list.
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FOR SALE.

Real Estate—Special.

ELEGANT HOME IN SHADYSIDE.

A fine brick and shingle house of 14 rooms on Walnut st., near South Highland ave., East End; lot 62x270 feet to another paved street; plenty of room for coach and horses; stable; house contains two baths, large furnace, instantaneous water heater, large pressers and linen closets; hardwood finish downstairs; reception hall, library, dining room and kitchen on first floor; every room in the house is large, well lighted and well arranged; it was built for a home by a prominent business man and could not be reproduced today for anything like the same price. We are asked, the purpose of it quickly and are authorized to sell at $35,000.
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QUICKLY OR NOT AT ALL.

We have a very attractive residence on Stratford ave. to sell within the next few days; owner has put a special price on it and says, "Sell it quickly or not at all;" the price is $11,000, and buyer should have $3,000 cash; the house is a 12-room brick, 2½ brown stone front; hardwood staircase and floors, tile bath and all up-to-date conveniences; lot measures 40x100 feet. For permit to examine see
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ONLY $2,900.

This is a Wilkinsburg bargain; 7-room frame, with bath and all up-to-date conveniences; street improvements paid for; new house; lot 30x140 feet to alley; possession March 1. It is a very complete house for the money.
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ON DARLINGTON ROAD.

Make us an offer on this property; you can buy it right; it's a center-hall colonial brick house of 12 rooms on Squirrel Hill; lot 60x150 feet; two baths, finished in hardwood; conservatory, instantaneous water heater; excellent location; terms easy. For permit see
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A BIG BARGAIN.

Lot 80x115 feet on South Negley ave., near Friendship; owner will take $15.00 per foot less than market value. See
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Farms.

$12,500 will buy one of the best stock and grain farms in Beaver county, of about 110 acres; underlaid with two veins of coal that is worth more than the price asked. Improvements large frame house, 8 rooms; tank barn, wagon house, spring house. Fruit of all kinds; land in high state of cultivation.
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Farm, 30 acres; good house; all outbuildings; also grist-mill, water power; 12 miles from city, P. & W. R. R.; will trade for city property.
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FOR SALE—A valuable coal farm of 160 acres, 1 mile west of Sewickley, Pa., three veins of coal and 13 feet of fireclay. The best in the state; near the track of C. & P. road.
Also a valuable roller mill on the C. & P. R. R., at Millport, O.; in the best grain valley in the country, and the best point to buy and ship grain produce from in the state. Will sell cheap for cash. Inquire of L. S. Faloon, Hanoverton, O. 122fu

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FOR SALE—
MANUFACTURING SITE
in city, with P. R. R. siding, 525x109 ft., at $30 per foot front.
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FOR SALE—Manufacturing site, 60 ACRES ON RIVER, McKEESPORT.
H. W. STRICKLER,
420 Fourth ave. 119pvxzh

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.
CEMENT WORKS property, consisting of 24 acres 7-foot vein of hydraulic cement, with burr mill, kilns, warehouse, cooper shop, etc.; excellent shipping facilities.
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GAULT & GIFFEN,
316 Fourth ave. 123j

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Handsome Bellevue residence cheap; choice location. Will trade for Allegheny property.
PEOPLES REALTY CO.,
First National Bank Building,
Federal st., Allegheny. 121j

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Business Opportunities.

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MEAT MARKET—Elegantly located; one of the best; selling $600 a week. Price $1,000

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With
Six Furnished Rooms and Laundry.
Nicely located; doing a business of $450 a week; established 10 years; seating capacity 40; open night and day; rent $70 per month; the six furnished rooms rent for $60 per month; lease; reason for selling, ill health; fixtures, carpets, linen, crockery and restaurant at $1 per month; expenses for help, light, fuel and rent of restaurant $47 a week; netting a profit of $69 weekly. This place is in a location where the business can be doubled. Silverware, linoleums, linens and nearly all the furnishings new. If locating for a restaurant that will pay for itself in six months, make inquiry at once.
E. G. ORR & CO.,
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Any kind of Store or Business, either in Pittsburgh or Country.

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Call or write, but we prefer you to call.
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CAVANAGH & CO., 616 Wood st. 123j

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BUSINESS of all kinds sold, partners secured for established business, stock companies organized and industrial enterprises financed, all business strictly confidential. Highest references. 126h CAVANAUGH & CO., 616 Wood st.

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BAKERY and Confectionery—In town 56 miles from Pittsburgh; doing business $40 to $50 per day; price $2,000; terms half cash, balance on time. 125j CAVANAGH CO., 626 Fourth ave.

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1 Iron sidepruat building, 110x180.
1 6,000 pound Morgan steam hammer.
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We have Corliss engines, both simple and compound, in sizes ranging from 10 to 1,000 H. P. Also automatic and plain throttling governor engines, all sizes.
Send for stock list.
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FOR SALE—3½ and 8-horse power steam engine, at office Jones Magic Roach Powder, 90 E. Lacock st., Allegheny. 123jc

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A FINE Mahogany cased Upright Piano, with all the latest improvements, 7½ octaves, fine tone and guaranteed for eight years, will be sold for $155.00. See it or write for further particulars. Accommodating terms given at right advance. Hoffmann's Music House, 537 Smithfield st. 117h

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JUST received, first lot of St. Andreasberg Roller Canaries, the finest singing canaries in the world, months of careful training being given to bring them to the desired degree of perfection. Also a new lot of Hartz Mountain Canaries; $2 up. Both guaranteed singers. Cages from 50c upward. Send for catalogue. New York Bird Store, 615 Smithfield st. 1126th

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P. & A. 'phone 2028 Main. 12h

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FOR SALE—Fine matched team sorrel horses; ages seven and eight; weight 1040 and 975 pounds; sound; price $300; address F. C. 400 Broad street, Sewickley. 122bc

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FOR SALE—50 misfit carpets.
Ingrain, Brussels and Velvets.
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co., 625 Pennsylvania ave. 126h

ROOM FOR ONE MORE.
Usually there's room, but not at this season. If you want good painting done, send for BYRNE, the painter, 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

FOR WOMEN—Very comfortable, stout walking shoes, odds and ends, $4 to $6 quality, at $2.50 only. CAIN, 503 Market. 14h

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COOKE PLATING WORKS,
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This is a great truth when said of painting. Paint your house now, the best season of the year. Send for BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

GO away back and sit down. That's what the incompetent painter must do. When you've painting to do, send for P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

IF you want good painting done, go to a painter who knows his business.
1030h P. J. BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave.

SLEIGHING parties will find good accommodations at Evergreen Hotel, East street; road open. Gus. Stifrett, Prop. 123j

SEE H. C. KNAPP, 3521 BUTLER ST., for those programs and tickets you want printed. 1016h

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STOLEN.

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Acts like Castor Oil,
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Same dose as Castor Oil,
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STOLEN—As others say: Knapp does the best printing, 3521 Butler st. Both 'phones. 1016h

SWEET CASTOR pure castor oil, price 10 cents all druggists. 626h

SWEET CASTOR takes place of castor oil. 10 cents. 626h

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—
HEARY TO HEART TALKS.
My Dear Fellow Pitt:
There has been too much raving as the sprightly and versatile Pitt has gone home to the Smoke-less and not enough praise for the Smoke-ite. Now think of any better way of [illegible] this time by adopting as a good substitute, something so attractive to smokers and so alluring looking to those not yet smoking as to be irresistible. Yours,
P. J. BYRNE,
1017h 634 Fifth ave.

PERSONAL—
THE MARTIN
SHORTHAND SCHOOL
631 Penn ave., leaves its students 12 days vacation at Christmas and New Year's. Students of the leading shorthand schools of the country, as it does upon the present staff of stenographers. Vacancies will occur shortly and students carefully examined. Catalogue will be sent upon request. Telephone and Grant.
112xxpv

PERSONAL—Does it know that your old tables, ware, linen, blankets, etc., can be repaired, relined or refinished and restored to a first-class condition? Call
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Can sell you carpets cheap.
We have mixed carpets.
And have second-hand carpets. 126h

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PERSONAL—Let us clean your carpets.
We can do them right.
We are general agents for
Allegheny Carpet and Feather Renovating Co.,
625 Pennsylvania ave. 126h

"RICH YOUR APPAREL,
Keep your Rogers well dressed, too; that's important.
BYRNE, 634 Fifth ave. 1017h

PERSONAL—Albert's Star Watch, Desk and Belt Clock Calendar, 1902, can't be beat. Any small property belonging to the deceased and left by him in connection or having any of the above papers in connection or having any of the above papers in connection therewith, 7 8-cubic inch cast, 1 cup-cake, washboard, grate, shoulder, harness, sheet, 1 set of chairs, 1 set table cloth, Elizabeth Hodgkinson, Administratrix.

LYON, SCHEE & MITCHELL, Attorneys-at-Law, Park bldg. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Wendel Steinbrenner, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, will expose at public sale on the premises, No. 27 Diamond square, city of Pittsburgh, on Thursday, January 30, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., all the personal property belonging to the deceased and left by him in connection or having any of the above papers in connection therewith, 7 8-cubic inch cast, 1 cup-cake, washboard, grate, shoulder, harness, sheet, 1 set of chairs, 1 set table cloth. Elizabeth Hodgkinson, Administratrix.

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E. B. TRAUTMAN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 422 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Minna Turbett, late of the city of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Elizabeth Turbett, Administratrix, 56 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 122xxx

C. WOLFRAM, 300 Fourth ave., Trust bldg. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Frederick Schmidt, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Hilbert Wolfram, Administrator, 97 Diagy ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 1125xxx

W. H. WOODS, Attorney-at-Law, 422 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James McCann Sheets, deceased, late Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Robert Sheets, Administrator, 1107 Ohio st., Allegheny, Pa. 1124xxx

S. Lang ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. 1124xx

MEETINGS.

United States Steel Corporation.
Notice of Annual Meeting.
Notice hereby is given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation will be held at the general office of the corporation at the building of the Hudson Trust Company, No. 30 Montgomery st., in the city of Jersey City, county of Hudson, New Jersey, on Monday, the seventeenth day of February, 1902, at eleven o'clock a. m., for the transaction of any and all business that may properly come before the meeting, including considering and voting upon the approval of the by-laws as amended and revised, and voting upon the approval and ratification of the action of the board of directors in the proceedings, elections and appointments by the board of directors or the executive committee of the corporation since the last annual meeting of the stockholders, and upon the approval and ratification of the action of the board of directors of the corporation on February 25, 1901, as set forth in the minutes of the board of directors or of the executive or finance committees, including the approval of the contracts made by the board of directors with Messrs. Morgan & Co., syndicate managers, dated respectively March 1 and April 1, 1901, and January 8, 1902, the last being an agreement of settlement, and including the approval of the payment of eight dollars per share for the three years, and the election of Independent auditors for the fourth year, and the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.
The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Saturday, the 25th day of January, 1902, and reopened at 10 o'clock a. m. on the morning of Tuesday, February 18, 1902.
By order of the board of directors.
RICHARD ZEMURAY, Secretary.
Hoboken, New Jersey, January 16, 1902. 1126xxx17te

The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Co.,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 13, 1902.
MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the general offices of the company, new Terminal building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, January 28, 1902, at 12 o'clock m., for the election of 12 directors and 2 critics to serve for the year, or until the president, to elect a president and twelve directors to serve for the year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
1124th JNO. G. ROBINSON, Secretary.

Warrenburg & Washington Railroad Co.,
No. 1220 Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 9, 1902.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Warrenburg & Washington Railroad Company will be held at the office of the said company, in the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, February 4, 1902, at 12 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a president and board of directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. S. B. LIGGETT,
1104xxx Secretary.

ELECTIONS.

ELECTION—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Standard Underground Cable Company will be held at the office of the company, Westinghouse building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, January 28, 1902, at 12 o'clock m., to elect nine directors to serve for the ensuing year, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting. The transfer books will be closed from January 16 to 28, 1902, both inclusive.
1116th F. A. RINEHART, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 20, 1902.
Owing to the death of Mr. Lathrop E. Hacon, the firm of LATHROP E. HACON & CO. is this day dissolved. John D. Armstrong will sign in liquidation. The business will be continued under the firm name of John D. Armstrong & Co. 1210d

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LAWTON MORTGAGE COMPANY,
310 Fourth ave., has a large selection of choice first mortgage loans. Call for opportunity for selecting. Money will be transmitted, and we have the largest list of securities in Western Pennsylvania. 27hh

GOOD 6 per cent loans are accepted at the office at once, and the company will make advance money during process of construction where desired.
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310 Fourth ave. 27hh

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If there's anything about our methods that you do not like, we will value your opinion.

We make
Salary Loans on Private Notes.

We never
Require Any Security.

We Loan
Amounts Between $10.00 and $100.00.

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Rebates for Every $1 Paid Off Loan.

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Open Saturday Eve. to 9 o'clock.

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As Low Rates, As Easy Payments.

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The most private arranged offices.

RELIABLE CREDIT COMPAN

E. W. Harden's Daily New York Business Letter

BIG ADDITIONS ATE INTO STEEL CAR'S EARNINGS

Well Prepared Now to Make Handsome Profits During the Present Year.

LARGE WORKING CAPITAL

The Usual Dividends Voted and the Old Directors Re-Elected—Capacity of the Plant More Than Doubled to Meet the Demand.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The annual balance sheet, as of December 31, issued today by the Pressed Steel Car Company, was a disappointment. Wall street had been led to expect a better showing. In view of the fact that the company's plants had been operated to maximum capacity during the entire year, it was expected that earnings would show a considerable increase over those for 1900; but, on the contrary, net earnings for 1901 were only $1,927,925, as compared with $2,075,181 for the preceding year, a decrease of $147,256.

The year 1901 was begun with a surplus of $1,812,284 84, and against this there was brought over certain charges pertaining to the previous year, amounting to $521,403. The character of the charges brought over is not indicated. On the other hand, the company paid only $500,000 in dividends on the common stock during 1901, as against $750,000 in 1900.

The Depreciation Item.

In 1900 nothing seems to have been charged for depreciation or renewals, whereas this account $143,635 was written off for 1901. The total surplus at the close of business December 31 was $1,700,172, a decrease of $112,113. It is evident, of course, that the surplus showing for 1901 was impaired to the extent of $521,403 39 by charges pertaining to the previous year, which had to be brought over into 1901.

A feature of the statement is that the Pressed Steel Car Company carried on January 1 cash to the amount of $1,301,727 58, as compared with that of $215,035 on January 1 of last year.

During the year just closed the property and franchises of the company increased nearly $3,000,000, due to the acquisition of new plants. The largest car wheel plant in the world was one of the concerns taken over during the year. The stocks held by the company are valued at $139,000, an item that did not appear in the balance sheet of the year before.

The Statement in Detail.

The document issued today shows:

ASSETS.	1901.	1900.
Prop. and franchises	$25,615,832	$22,605,000
Additions to plant	411,771	.....
McKees Rocks plant	.....	1,581,586
Additions to plant	.....	655,702
Dies and patterns	.....	272,082
Stocks owned	139,000	.....
Tax ins., not accrued	18,366	.....
Accounts receivable	1,818,556	1,915,768
Materials on hand	4,598,272	4,022,952
Cash	1,301,728	214,035
Totals	$34,228,566	$32,112,119
LIABILITIES.	1901.	1900.
Common stock	$12,500,000	$12,500,000
Preferred stock	12,500,000	12,500,000
First mort. gold notes	5,000,000	.....
Purchase money mort.	235,000	235,000
Accounts payable	1,858,791	1,983,519
Bills payable	.....	2,755,000
Accrued salaries and wages	126,987	152,565
Accrued dividends, pfd.	218,750	218,750
Accrued interest	108,867	.....
Surplus	1,700,171	1,512,285
Totals	$34,228,566	$32,112,119

The foregoing surplus is made up as follows:

	1901	1900
Surplus	$1,812,285	$1,362,104
Deduct—		
Dividends, common	500,000	750,000
Charges pertaining to previous years	521,403	.....
Totals	$1,021,403	$ 750,000
Balance	$ 790,882	$ 612,104
Add profits this year	1,927,925	2,075,181
Totals	$2,718,807	$2,687,285
Deduct—		
Dep. and renewals	$ 143,635	.....
Preferred stock dividend	875,000	875,000
Totals	$1,018,635	$ 875,000
Surplus December 31	$1,700,172	$1,812,285

The Dividend Voted.

The regular quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock and 1 per cent on the common stock were declared. These directors for the ensuing year were re-elected: A. H. Larkin, F. N. Hoffstot, J. W. Friend, J. H. Reed, T. H. Given, H. E. Moller, Henry Phipps, G. E. Macklin and F. G. Ely.

President Hoffstot in his report to stockholders, said:

In your examination of the balance sheet it will be well to bear in mind that when the company was incorporated it had a cash working capital of but $1,500,000, and at that time was doing a business of but $1,000,000 a month. By reason of the great demand for the company's products, it was decided to more than double the capacity of the plant for the manufacture of pressed steel cars and pressed steel trucks, bolsters, etc., and another plant was installed during the past year for the construction of an entirely new line of work—steel under-framed, wooden-topped cars. The result of this installation has been very satisfactory, and the company is now in a position to bid on the erection of all kinds of freight cars.

Profits and Dividends.

Since the incorporation of the company the profits have aggregated $4,312,285. Out of these profits $1,750,000 in preferred and $875,000 in common stock have been declared and paid. The McKees Rocks plant cost $1,581,586, and additions for the purpose of acquiring property and making improvements to originate plants amounting to $355,702 have been taken out of the initial working capital and earnings.

From this it will be seen that the actual cash working capital of the company has been somewhat encroached upon, but the plants and capacity have been more than doubled, and the monthly production increased from $1,000,000 to upwards of $2,000,000.

Increased volume of business necessitates the carrying of larger stocks of material and for the full operation of the plants, so far as can be seen, it will be necessary to carry between $4,000,000 and $5,000,00 worth of material on hand at all times, and for this purpose the company has been compelled to be an extensive borrower. During the past year money has been low, but at low rates, but it has been deemed advisable and prudent to fund this floating indebtedness. Therefore, a mortgage for $5,000,000, covering a period of ten years and bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum, to secure notes maturing at the rate of $500,000 each year, has been executed, with the right to anticipate payment of all or part, as provided for in the mortgage. These notes have been disposed of at terms advantageous to the company.

Plenty of Money to Go On.

By this means the company secures extra working capital, and its future charges are limited not to exceed $250,000 the first, and $25,000 less every year thereafter. There was disbursed last year for interest and borrowed money $215,821, which was charged off to operating expenses, and on behalf of that move than the difference appearing between this amount and $250,000 can be saved in extra discounts on materials purchased. The retirement of the notes annually will also strengthen the company and reduce its interest accounts.

Nothing has been added for appreciation of the company's real estate, which has largely increased in value during the year, and nothing has been deducted for depreciation of plants, for the reason that it has been the custom of the company to charge all expenses for the keeping up and replacing of dies, tools and machinery to operating expenses, and by reason of the practically indestructible character of the plant and properties, their newness and high efficiency, no necessity has arisen to the present time to open a depreciation account.

With the company well equipped for the economical handling of its large and growing business, its debts funded at 5 per cent and ample working capital to continue its business, its future seems assured.

E. W. HARDEN.

News From the Mines

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—A stampede is reported to the new gold fields on the Bonito river in Lincoln county, N. M. One claim was sold for $10,000 on the day of the discovery. The rock is a network of wire gold and as thick as sewing thread. Five hundred pounds of quartz in the Church mine on Church mountain in the Nogal district milled at the rate of $1,200 to the ton.

Samples from the Golden Fleece, near Lake City, Col., run $50 gold and $1,127 ounces silver. The lost vein, from which $1,500,000 six years ago was taken, was found recently.

Despite the deep snow development is going vigorously forward in the New Rumaker mountain district, Ida. Hundreds of prospectors are gathering at Boise, Mackay, Salmon City, Weiser and other points to start for the diggings as soon as the trails are passable.

Leadville expects a slight relief from the glut of sulphide ores soon. The smelter at Florence has arranged to take from 150 to 200 tons daily from the camp, and the Malena Vista smelter, which can take considerable of the sulphides, will be blown in next month.

The Century mine and mill at Park Valley, Utah, have been closed for want of working funds. The Midas mill in the Deep Creek district is treating 50 tons of ore daily. About 1,000 tons of ore averaging $20 are blocked out in the mine.

A recent earthquake uncovered a vein of rich ore on the Rob Roy near Beaver City, Utah. Assays show 5.4 ounces gold and 119 ounces silver.

The Wild Cat, near Sonora, Cal., has been pumped dry and a good showing is made of rock averaging $70 to the ton. The hanging wall is especially rich.

Advices from Helena, Mont., note that the development in the Bald Butte is kept well ahead of the mill. A streak of very rich ore was struck in the last drift.

A rich lead has been uncovered in the Little Goldie in the Sheridan district.

An English company has bought the Behrman property, Modoc, Shasta, Ore., for $400,000. It consists of 800 acres of good chinabar ground on which there are several well-developed claims.

The Metal Market.

A decline of £2 5s in prices for tin at London closed that market at £106 for spot and at £103 for futures. The local market was influenced by the decline abroad, and $23 62½ was bid at the close. Copper was quiet, with small jobbing sales here at the former price of 11c for Lake, 10¾c for electrolytic and 10½c for casting. London prices were off at the close were 10s lower, with spot at £48 and futures at 2s 6d. Lead was quiet but steady and unchanged here, with 4c quoted. At London prices were advanced 5s 9d to £10 16s 3d. Spelter was 5 points lower here at $4 20. London was unchanged at £16 10s. Iron was steady here and unchanged. European markets were higher. Glasgow closed at 49s 6d and Middlesboro at 44s. Pig iron warrants quoted at $11 @$12 for No. 1 foundry, northern, $16 50@17 50; No. 2 foundry, northern, $16 00@16 75; No. 1 foundry, southern, $16 00@16 50; No. 1 foundry, southern, soft, $16 00@16 50.

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. F. Masten & Co., 308 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure	18¾	Osceola	80¼
Amalgamated	68¾	Dominion	22
Arcadian	3½	Old Colony	3
Baltic	34½	Parrot	28
Bingham	21	Quincy	132
Phoenix	4½	Rhode Island	2
Calumet	509	Trimountain	57¼
Centennial	12	Tamarack	250
Copper Range	53	Utah	22¾
Elm River	2¾	Utah Mining	13
Franklin	12	Victoria	4½
Mass	15½	Wolverine	45
Mohawk	22½	Winona	3¾
Michigan	2¼	Wyoma	2¾
Montreal & Bos.	3¾	Guanajuato	4¼
Santa Fe Copper	2½		

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Close:

Adams Con	.20	Little Chief	.10
Alice	.45	Ontario	1.75
Breece	.60	Ophir	.75
Bruns. Con	.08	Phoenix	.04
Comstock Tun	.05½	Potosi	.10
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.35	Savage	.03
Deadwood Ter	.50	Sierra Nevada	.14
Horn Silver	1.50	Small Hopes	.40
Iron Silver	.60	Standard	3.40
Leadville Con	.05		

Professionals Manipulated Advance in Prices

UPWARD MOVE IN PRICES WAS BUT TEMPORARY

General Public Refuses to Become Interested in Speculation at This Time.

CHANGES VERY NARROW

Metropolitan Street Railway Was the Leader in the Advance and Held a Good Portion of Its Gain—Rumors of More Consolidations.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The professional operators in the market made an upward turn of prices again today. The dullness of the market and the congestion of the scanty dealings into a few stocks clearly reflected the continued indifference of the outside public to the securities market, and the abstention of the great banking interests which made the great bull markets of last year from any hand in the trading. Such narrow price movement as there was was pretty much wiped out in the closing dealings, and many stocks closed below last night. Metropolitan street railway was the central figure and moved up late in the day an extreme 3¾ on a volume of dealings very unusual for that stock. The gain on the day was 2¾. Many rumors circulated to explain the movement, which were in general agreement as to a coming issue of stock with subscription rights to stockholders, but which varied greatly as to the use to be made of the proceeds of the stock sale.

Gossip of the Street.

There was talk of a consolidation of all New York public utilities and of centralization of the production of electric power for the benefit of all of them. The stock of other New York public utilities did not fully sympathize and reacted sharply at the last. Advances of 5 points each in the Chicago & Northwestern stock and 3¾ in Lackawanna were accompanied by rumors of coming distribution of scrip. Sugar and Peoples Gas gained nearly a point at one time. This about exhausts the list of advances worthy of mention. The rain and snow in the winter wheat belt are held to be of great benefit to the crop were used by the traders as arguments for advancing railroad stocks. Money was easier and the large subscription reported in New York for the German imperial loan argued an abundance of local resources, although the disposition to turn to foreign securities while the local stock market was so neglected was taken to indicate a tendency not altogether favorable.

London Sold in New York.

The lively speculation in Kaffirs in the London market while stocks continued to be sold in New York for London account showed the same tendency for speculation to be diverted to foreign markets. The character of a good part of the day's dealings in stocks here expressed expectancy that the supreme court would clear up the Northern Securities question by a decision next Monday, which is merely the day set to hear arguments whether the proposed writs shall be entertained. There was recently some speculation in Erie shares, based on the assumption that the dividend on the first preferred was to be advanced to 4 per cent, but the conviction has been general for some weeks that the 3 per cent rate would not be changed, as proved to be the case today, with little effect on the stocks. The market closed dull and irregular.

Market for Bonds.

The railroad bond market broadened out today, bringing forward many dormant mortgages into activity. The dealings in some of these, notably in the Rock Island 4s and the Central of Georgia income bonds and consol 5s, were very heavy. There were advances ranging from 1 to 2¾ in the Rock Island 6s and 4s, the Oregon Short Line 6s, St. Louis and San Francisco 6s, New Jersey Central 5s, Eastern incomes, Central of Georgia 1st, 2nd and 3rd incomes, the Chicago and Pacific division 6s of the St. Paul and Texas & Pacific 1sts. Total sales par value $4,625,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

CLOSING BOND PRICES.

U. S. ref. 2s reg.	108¾	Hock. Val. 4½s	107¾
Do coup.	108¾	*L. & N. uni 4s	101
Do 3s reg.	108	Mex. Cent. 4s	83½
Do coup.	108¾	Do 1st inc.	35¾
Do new 4s reg.	138¾	*M. & St. L. 4s	101¾
Do coup.	140	M., K. & T. 4s	95¾
Do old 4s reg.	111¾	Do 2ds	85¾
Do coup.	111¾	N. Y. C. 3½s	107
Do 5s reg.	106	*Do gen. 3½s	100¾
Do coup.	107¾	N. J. C. gen. 5s	132½
Atchison gen. 4s	100¾	Nor. & Pac. 4s	104¾
Do adj. 4s	92¾	Do 3s	74¾
B. & O. 4s	104¾	N. & W. con. 4s	102½
Do 3½s	95½	Reading gen. 4s	97¾
Do conv. 4s	111¾	Do 1st M. 4s	97¾
Canada Sou. 2ds	106¾	St. L. & S. F. 4s	96¾
Cent. of Ga. 5s	110	St. L. & Sw. 1sts	105¾
Do 1st inc.	77¾	Do 2ds	75¾
C. & O. 4½s	106¾	So. R. A. P. 4s	85¾
C. & A. 3½s	84¾	Sou. Pac. 4s	93¾
C., B. & Q. new 4s	103¾	Sou. Ry. 5s	112¾
St. Paul gen. 4s	112½	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	121
C., C., C. & St. L. 4s	103¾	Tol., A. & A. 4s	83
Rock Island 4s	108¾	Union Pac. 4s	104¾
Do 6s	122¾	Do conv. 4s	105¾
L. & N. uni.	100¾	Wabash 1sts	119¾
Chicago Term. 4s	88¾	*Do 2ds	84¾
Col. & Sou. 4s	93	Do deb. B's	67¾
D. & R. G. 4s	103¾	West Shore 4s	112
*Erie prior lien 4s	96	Wis. Cent. 4s	88½
Do gen. 4s	89	Con. Tobacco 4s	88½
FLW. & D.C. 1st	107½		

*Bid.

New York "Curb" Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

Am. Hide & Lea.	6	Otis Elevator pfd.	93
Do preferred	49½	Royal B. P. pfd.	100
Bay State Gas	⅝	Standard Oil	690
Diamond Match	145	Unit. Copper	12¾
Brooklyn Ferry	185	U. S. C. I. Pipe	8
Electric Boat	20	Do preferred	36
Do preferred	40	Union Copper	3¾
Electric Vehicle	4	Do preferred	24¾
Do preferred	4	Do preferred	46
Gen. Carriage	1	Am. Can	14¾
Havana Com'cial	10	Do preferred	86
Do preferred	50	Gen. Chemical	150
N. A. Gas bonds	100¾	Am. El. S. R.	37¾
N. Y. E. V. T.	11¾	White Knob	16¾
Otis Elevator	28½		

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Jan. 22.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penna. R. R.	74¾	Cambria Steel	24¾
Phila. Traction	97¾	Lehigh Co. of Am.	5¼
Phila. Traction rts.	3-16	Alkali	5-16
Elec. & Peo. 4s	88½	Asphalt 5s	99
Con. Trac. N.	67¾	Con. Consolidated	23¾
Con. L. Superior	42¾	Phila. Co.	51½
Storage	69	Do 6s	112¾
Do preferred	69	Railways Gen.	4
Marsden	37	Lehigh Valley	89¾
Phila. Elec.	9¾	Phila. Co. pfd.	50
United Gas Impt.	71½	Powers	9
Tidewater Steel	6¾		

*Ex-dividend.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	75	American Sugar	122¾
Do preferred	94	A. Tel. & Tel	158¾
Boston & Albany	254½	Do Coupons	104¾
Boston & Maine	192¾	N. E. Gas & Coke	19¾
Boston Elevated	167¾	United Fruit	87¾
N. Y., N. H. & H.	210½	U. S. Steel	42¾
Union Pacific	104¼	Do preferred	94¾
Mex. Cent.	28¾		

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Stocks slow; closed:

American Can	15	Northw'n L.	38
Do preferred	87½	South Side L.	39½
Gillson	16½	Union Traction	26½
Metropolitan L.	39¾		

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Daily range of prices, reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., 336 Fourth avenue, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

Shares.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
15000	A., T. & S. F.	73¾	75¾	73¾	75¾
5300	Do preferred	90	92¾	90	92¾
	Am. Cotton Oil	30¾	30¾		
	Do preferred	90	90		
7100	Am. Sugar Ref.	122¾	126	122¾	125¾
	Do preferred				
1000	Am. Locomotive	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
500	Do preferred	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
	Am. Car Fndry				
600	Do preferred	58	58	58	58
	Am. Cast. Iron	15	15	14¾	14¾
	Do preferred				
10500	Amal. Copper	69¾	73	69¾	72¾
300	Anaconda Copper	31¾	31¾	31	31¾
4300	Atchison	67	71¾	66¾	71¾
1100	Do preferred	96¾	97¾	96¾	97
	Am. Ice	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾
	Do preferred	78¾	78¾	78¾	78¾
18200	Brooklyn R. T.	65¾	69¾	65¾	69¾
2000	Chicago Gt. W.	17¾	18¾	17¾	18¾
300	Con. Gas	217	217	215	217
600	C., C., C. & St. L.	85	85	85	85
200	Chesa. & Ohio	46¾	47¾	46¾	46¾
200	Chicago & Alton	37¾	38	37¾	38
	Do preferred				
100	Col. Fuel & Iron	80¾	80¾	80	80
	Do preferred				
900	Del., Lack. & West.	184	184	184	184
400	Do 1st pfd	60¾	60¾	60¾	60¾
200	Do 2d pfd				
1400	Del. & Hud.	171	175¾	171	175¾
	Del. & Hudson				
15000	Erie	37¾	39¾	37¾	39¾
1300	Do 1st pfd	71	75	70¾	75
1300	Do 2d pfd	56¾	60¾	56¾	60¾
	Gen. Electric				
2500	Glucose Sugar	48¾	50¾	48¾	50
	Do preferred				
700	Illinois Central	128¾	130¾	128¾	130¾
100	Iowa Central	28	28	27	28
	Do preferred				
400	Int'nat'l Paper	19¾	21¾	19¾	21¾
	Do preferred				73¾
100	Lake Erie & W.	42	42	42	42
400	Do preferred	122	122	122	122
1900	Lake Shore	185¾	193¾	185¾	193¾
7600	Manhattan	134	136¾	134	136¾
2700	Missouri Pacific	100¾	106¾	100¾	106¾
1000	Do 1st pfd.	80	80	80	80
59150	Metropolitan	84¾	87¾	84¾	87¾
1900	Mexican Central	28¾	28¾	28¾	28¾
	National Lead				
	Do preferred	45	45	44	44
400	National Steel	43	44	43	44
	Do preferred				94
7200	N. Y. Central	161¾	167¾	160	166¾
	N. Y. Chicago				100¾
200	N. Y. O. & W.	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾
800	Norfolk & West.	56	56	55¾	55¾
	Do preferred				
	Ontario	53¾	53¾	53¾	53¾
2000	P. C. L. & Coke	80¾	100¾	80¾	100¾
400	Pacific Mail	47¾	47¾	46	46¾
100	Pullman	204	204	204	204
900	Pressed Steel	40¾	41¾	40¾	41¾
100	Do preferred	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
6900	Penna. R. R.	145¾	149¾	145¾	148¾
	P., C., C. & St. L.				
21900	Reading	58¾	63¾	58¾	63¾
1300	Do 1st pfd.	82	82¾	81¾	82¾
1200	Do 2d pfd.	72¾	73¾	72¾	73¾
1100	Rock Island	156¾	167¾	156¾	167¾
300	Republic Iron	18¾	19¾	18¾	19¾
100	Do preferred	69	69	69	69
1800	Southern Pacific	53¾	58¾	53¾	58¾
1200	Southern Ry.	22¾	24¾	22¾	24¾
1800	Do preferred	83	87¾	83	87¾
16000	St. Paul	162¾	169¾	162¾	169¾
	Do preferred				
	St. L. & Southw.				
500	Do preferred	53	55¾	53	55¾
200	Tenn. Coal & I.	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
1200	Texas Pacific	23¾	25¾	23¾	25¾
100	T. St. L. & S.W.	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
100	Do preferred	25	25	25	25
2600	U. S. Steel	41¾	45¾	41¾	45¾
1100	Do preferred	94¾	97¾	94¾	97¾
17600	Union Pacific	100¾	106¾	100¾	106¾
600	Do preferred	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾
	U. S. Rubber				
400	U. S. Rubber	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
2400	Do preferred	40¾	41	40¾	40¾
2200	Wabash	22¾	23¾	22¾	23¾
1100	Do preferred	41¾	43¾	41¾	43¾
	W. U. Telegraph				
	W. & L. E.				17¾
100	Do preferred	29½	29½	29½	29½

New York "Curb" Stocks.

Henry Sproul & Co. furnish the following closing bids on active stocks traded in on the "curb," or outside the New York stock exchange:

Am. Hide & Lea.	6	Otis Elevator pfd.	93
Do preferred	49½	Royal B. P. pfd.	100
Bay State Gas	⅝	Standard Oil	690
Diamond Match	145	Unit. Copper	12¾
Brooklyn Ferry	185	U. S. C. I. Pipe	8
Electric Boat	20	Do preferred	36
Do preferred	40	Union Copper	3¾
Electric Vehicle	4	Do preferred	24¾
Do preferred	4	Do preferred	46
Gen. Carriage	1	Am. Can	14¾
Havana Com'cial	10	Do preferred	86
Do preferred	50	Gen. Chemical	150
N. A. Gas bonds	100¾	Am. El. S. R.	37¾
N. Y. E. V. T.	11¾	White Knob	16¾
Otis Elevator	28½		

*Bid.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $170,575,985; gold, $65,105,053; silver, $16,504,373; United States notes, $8,897,100; treasury notes of 1890, $92,353; national bank notes, $12,465,385; total receipts this day, $1,654,257; total receipts this month, $22,874,331; total receipts this year, $317,633,714; total expenditures this day, $1,115,000; total expenditures this month, $28,070,000; total expenditures this year, $271,207,686; deposits in national banks, $113,187,413.

Dividends.

United States Steel preferred will be 1¾ per cent ex-dividend Saturday.

Southern Railway figures show rather less than 1 per cent earned on the common stock.

The Ewalt Street Bridge Company declared a dividend of $2 a share, payable on demand.

The directors declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 1½ per cent on the first preferred.

There is talk of the possible suspension of National Salt dividend this spring.

The Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 2 per cent on its common stock.

The directors of the Erie railroad declared a dividend of 1½ per cent on first preferred, out of the earnings for the six months ended December 31.

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western advanced nearly 4 per cent on continued talk of a scrip dividend. Rumors of the same character influenced the advance in Chicago & Northwestern.

The meeting of the directors of the Union Pacific, at which the semi-annual dividend will be considered, will be held early in February. It is already understood that no change in the rate is looked for.

The directors of the Astor National Bank of New York declared a dividend of 20 per cent for the year, its first disbursement.

The directors of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha declared the semi-annual dividend of 3½ per cent on the preferred stock and the yearly dividend of 3 per cent on the common, payable February 20.

The directors of the Minneapolis General Electric Company declared a dividend of $3 per share on the preferred stock, payable February 1.

The directors of the Pittsburgh Trust Company have declared the regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent and an extra dividend of 3 per cent, payable February 1. This puts the stock on a 20 per cent basis.

The directors of the Pressed Steel Car Company yesterday declared the regular quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent on the preferred stock and 1 per cent on the common stock.

Wheat Gains on Covering by Shorts

INDECISION IS MANIFESTED IN GRAIN MARKET

Traders Are at Loss to Know Which Side of the Fence Is Best.

WHEAT CLOSES HIGHER

Oklahoma Sends Word That Drought Still Continues and Causes Wheat to Hold Steady—Corn and Oats Slightly Down—Provisions Weak.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Grains experienced a nervous, jerky trade today, following the lead of wheat as it floundered about on every kind of scanty news available. At the close May wheat was a shade higher and May corn and oats a shade lower. Provisions closed 7½@10c lower.

Business in the wheat pit was only fairly active. Traders were at a loss to know which side of the market to espouse and as a result the fluctuations were as frequent an influencing news came to hand. At the outset cables were slightly lower and showed no tendency to follow the strength exhibited here yesterday. On other bearish news—such as rains in California, promised snow in the southwest and belittation in corn and oats. May wheat opened easy, ¼ to ⅝@⅝c lower at 79⅝c to 79¼c.

Covering by Shorts.

The coarse grains also felt somewhat easy and wheat reflected their condition. Denials came to yesterday's rumor that frost had damaged the southern Russian crop. Sellers were prominent for a short time, but the low prices induced liberal covering of the large short accounts and May went to 79¾c. Scalpers jumped into the pit at every dip and help to strengthen the market. Just when traders began to say that shorts had covered everything outstanding and that the market was in danger of turning weak at 79¾c, Oklahoma wired that there had been no relief from the drought and May sold up to 79¾c, and closed steady, a shade higher at 79¾c. Local receipts were 22 cars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 294 cars, a total for the three points of 310 against 226 last week and 287 last year. Primary receipts were 766,000 bushels, compared to 352,000 bushels a year ago.

Corn Followed Wheat.

Corn had only a fair trade and in the main waited on wheat. Lower cables and wheat influence started May lower, but there was a fair rally on covering. Some professional buying added a firm tone to the market, though at times there were setbacks on profit taking. The weather was unsettled and country offerings light. May sold up to 64½@64¾c and closed steady, a shade lower at 64⅝c. Receipts were 337 cars.

Oats experienced the dullest trade in a month. Shippers were buyers of May, but the market was mainly a scalping affair. May sold up to 46¾c and closed a shade lower at 46¼c. Receipts were 121 cars.

Provisions were weak. Heavier weights

Articles.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Sat'y's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
Jan.	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
May	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
July	77¾	78¾	77¾	78¾	78¾
CORN					
No. 2					
Jan.					61
May	64⅝	64¾	63¾	64⅝	64¾
July	64¾	64¾	63¾	64¾	64¾
OATS					
No. 2					
May	46¾	46¾	46	46¼	46¾
July	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
Sept.	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
MESS PORK					
Jan.	16 20	16 20	16 20	16 20	16 40
May	16 67½	16 75	16 55	16 60	16 80
July	16 72½	16 75	16 65	16 70	16 80
LARD.					
Jan.					9 42½
May	9 22½	9 27½	9 12½	9 15	9 40
July	9 00	9 02½	8 90	8 90	9 10
SHORT RIBS					
May	8 37½	8 40	8 32½	8 32½	8 42½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour barely steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 72½@73½c; No. 3 red, 67½@69c; No. 2 corn, 63½@64½c; No. 2 white, 65½@67½c; No. 2 rye, 47½@48c; fair to choice malting, 61@66c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 67; No. 1 northwestern, $1 71¼; prime timothy seed, $6 55; mess pork, $16 25@16 30; lard, $9 10@9 12½; short rib sides (loose), 7¾@7¾c; short clear sides (boxed), 8 00@8 00c; clover, contract grade, $6 60@7 75.

Articles received at the yards brought a slump in prices and a ring of 13,000 head in excess of estimates dampened prospects. There was some covering by shorts on the breaks, but May pork closed 12½@17½c down at 16 20@16 67½; May lard, 10c lower at 9 00 and May ribs, 7½@10c depressed, at 8 32½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 20 cars; corn, 69 cars; oats, 130 cars; hogs, 46,000 head.

The leading futures, executed by Lathrop & Bacon & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, 200 Diamond street, are as follows:

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The Local Stocks Were Irregular, but Closed Fairly Active

A. W. GLASS CLOSED WITH A WILD SPURT

Common Stock Jumped Nearly $2 a Share at the Day's Last Session.

PITTSBURGH TRUST BOOM

- Declaration of Extra Dividend the Cause—Steel Stocks Were Unusually Dull—River Showed Active and Firm—Airbrake Rallied.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange was dull and irregular until the last call yesterday. Then bedlam broke loose in American Window Glass common and this started interest in other issues which brought the total sales for the day up to a fair amount. Window Glass was almost ignored until the last call, only a few hundred shares selling prior to that time, the last price for which being 46¾. It was only a few moments after the gavel fell for the commencement of the session that the stock sold at 47. Then the fun began, 47 being bid for 500 shares. Before any more sales occurred the price jumped to 48 and then went on up to 49¾, 49 being bid for for 500 shares. At this time a broker offered the dividend on 1,000 shares at $1 a share, which proved something of a damper, the price declining to 48½. That figure was then bid for 500 and the same person offered 500 at 48¾. The final sales occurred at 49, a gain of 2¼ for the day, 3,035 shares having changed hands. The advance was undoubtedly due to the announcement that the American Window Glass Company had advanced the wages of its men from 10 to 15 per cent. This, it was thought, would prove a dead blow to the independents and so stop any rate war. However, the president of the Independent company was quoted as saying they would meet the advance, which appears to leave the case about where it stood before, with the exception that a rate war now would be worse than before, unless the wages were cut. So the public seems still unable to pick a position and the future alone can find a safe one.

In the other sales the greatest activity was in Fire Proofing common, which sold nearly 1,900 shares and closed steady and firm at 42¾, a gain of ½. The preferred was ¼ lower at 49 for 250 shares. A matter of unusual interest was the course of Pittsburgh Trust Company. For some time the stock has been showing renewed strength and Tuesday it sold at $550, a gain of $25. At the first call yesterday 50 shares sold at $552 50, a gain of 2½. Then the bidders started after more and the stock went by leaps and bounds to $574, with no offers under $590. The bid was a gain of $24, making the advance for two days $48 a share. The sudden strength is due to knowledge of a meeting of the directors held quietly Tuesday afternoon, at which the regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent and an extra dividend of 2 per cent—5 per cent in all—was declared as of January 31, to be paid February 1. This puts the stock on a 20 per cent basis. The company's earnings are said to be enormous since the recent increase in its capital stock, and it is possible that there are other good things in store. The Steel stocks were badly neglected, the changes in Crucible issues being small and the sales insignificant. There was not a single trade in United States Steel shares and only the common was quoted, being 42½ bid at the last call. The coalers were only fairly active and entirely without change. River common was particularly dull until the last call, when it suddenly sprang into life and sold about 1,000 shares at 13½. Thursday's price. There was no important change in the remainder of the list except in Switch and Signal common, which advanced $1 to 75½, and in Westinghouse Airbrake, which rallied 1¼ to 172. Bonds were very dull but firm. In the quotations Pittsburgh, Virginia & Charleston made another new high record by advancing $1 to $136 bid, without offers.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges gained $619,167 47.

Total sales Pittsburgh stock exchange 9,592 shares and $3,000 bonds.

Window Glass boomed. Closed 49. Gain 2½.

Big jump in Pittsburgh Trust due to extra dividend declaration. Gained $24.

Fire Proofing common sold 1,890 shares. Closed 42¾.

250 Fire Proofing preferred sold at 49.

The steel stocks were exceptionally dull.

Coal stocks were all unchanged.

Westinghouse Airbrake rallied to 172.

Switch and Signal gained $1 at 75½.

Financial Drift.

City Trust advanced $5 to $270 bid, a new high record.

Carothers offered 100 Columbia Fire Proofing at 47 47.

Beaver Coal common was quoted at 9¾ bid and 10 asked.

At the last call 25 was bid for 500 Pittsburgh Coal common.

Hall bid 24 for 500 American Sewer Pipe at the last call.

At the last call Hill & Co. bid 23¼ for 1,000 Consolidated Traction common receipts.

At the first call 13¾ was bid for 500 River Coal common and 25 for 1,000 Pittsburgh Coal common.

Federal National bank opened up the trading yesterday morning, being quite firm at 129, over 100 shares selling.

Hill & Co. bid 48¾ for any part of 500 American Window Glass common at the last call and offered 500 at 48¾.

At the first session 215 was bid for both the Third National Bank of Pittsburgh and the Third National of Allegheny.

At the opening of the last call 47 was bid for 500 American Window Glass common and then the boom gained full speed until 49 was bid for 500.

Lawrence offered 300 River Coal common at the last call at 13¾, he has been the heaviest buyer until the last two days, when he took the selling side.

At a meeting of the directors of the Beaver Valley Traction Company at Beaver Falls, Pa., yesterday, it was decided to increase the capital stock from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000.

The Basic Brick Company has called a special meeting of its stockholders for Thursday, February 13, for the purpose of voting for or against an increase of the capital stock.

During the excitement in American Window Glass common at the last call, R. C. Hall threw out a damper by offering the next dividend on 1,000 shares at a dollar a share.

Spencer, Stark & Co.'s "Financial Tables" for 1902 is now out. It contains much that is of great interest to the speculator and investor and is in a most convenient and pleasing form.

A special meeting of the Monongahela and Ohio River Transportation Company will be held March 24, for the purpose of voting for a proposed increase in the capital stock from $50,000 to $75,000.

Messrs. Henry Clews & Co.'s annual "Investment Guide" has been received. It is without doubt a most complete and convenient manual and in all matters pertaining to investments will be found valuable.

River Coal common, which was so active Tuesday, was quite dull throughout the first two calls, but 155 shares selling at the last call it was more active, several hundred shares selling at 13½, after which 13¾ was bid for about 500 shares.

At the first call $1,000 Beaver Coal Company 5s sold at 104; the last sale was November 26, 1901, at 103; with the exception of United States government bonds these are the only bonds ever dealt in on the local exchange that pays interest quarterly. There are $500,000, and they mature in 1910; at the last call 103 was bid and 104 asked.

Henry Clews in a special letter says: "There is no particular occasion for taking a pessimistic view of the immediate future of the market. It is sufficient to say that large quantities of securities are held in strong hands for sale at high figures, but while natural conditions do not favor any extreme advance, the situation is such that sheer manipulation may force prices of stocks to a higher level. We are likely, therefore, in the immediate future to see a good trading market, as there will be frequent setbacks and rallies, but I continue to recommend conservative dealings, especially in the industrial properties."

The question asked in a pamphlet by A. E. Masten & Co. a short time ago, "Are the stocks a good investment," (referring to the United States Steel Corporation) has proved the big deal of local interest. Messrs. Masten & Co. took the negative side of the argument, for reasons already published. Now Messrs. Edward T. & L. Stokes & Co. in circular letter make the query in a slightly different form, asking: "Are they a good purchase?" "Our answer to this question," they say, "squarely, unreservedly, unconditionally is yes." There are three salient points to be considered in making an investment or going into a speculation. In the order of their importance they are: (1) Safety, (2) return in the shape of interest or dividends, and (3) chance for profit, if a speculation; (3) ability to find a buyer when you want to sell. We think the United States Steel stocks meet each requirement. Then the firm enlarges upon each heading, and the reasons assigned prove very interesting reading.

PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

First Call.

50 Federal Nat. Bk....129
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100 M. R. Coal com...13½
5 M. R. Coal com...13½
5 Crucible Steel pfd...85¾
5 Pa. Brewing pfd...44½
50 N. F. Proof. pfd...48
50 N. F. Proof. pfd...49
100 N. F. Proof. pfd...49
100 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
100 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
100 Crucible Steel com...13¾
100 Pgh. Coal com...25¾
$1,000 Denver Coal 6s....104
200 M. R. Coal pfd....42¾
5 M. R. Coal pfd....42¾
50 Pittsburgh Trust...552½
15-25 Monon. Water war. 41½
18-25 Monon. Water war. 41½

After Call.

100 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
80 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
50 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
60 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
120 N. F. Proof. com...42¾
50 Crucible Steel pfd...85¾
50 Pgh. Coal pfd....99½
10 Pgh. Coal pfd....99½
25 Pgh. Coal pfd....99½
100 Char. Val. Water....46
300 Pgh. Brewing com...23¾
270 Pgh. Coal com....25

Second Call.

10 American Trust...123
1,000 Spencer, Stark & Co.'s 6 per cent Collateral Gold Bonds, due 1919....100
100 Pgh. Brewing com...23¾
100 Pgh. Brewing pfd...44½
100-25 Monon. Water war. 41½
50 Pgh. Brewing com...23¾
100 Pgh. Coal com....25¾
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PITTSBURGHER WILL SOON ISSUE BOOK ON MOTHS

Dr. W. J. Holland, an Authority on Insects, Received Aid from Washington.

VALUABLE SPECIMENS

New Volume Entitled "The Moths of North America, North of Mexico," Will Be Completed and Published Before the Close of the Year.

Director William J. Holland of the Carnegie museum received yesterday from the authorities of the National museum in Washington a number of valuable specimens of moths, which will be used for his new volume on "The Moths of North America, North of Mexico."

While in Washington last week, Dr. Holland succeeded in obtaining permission to use a large number of specimens contained in the national collection in making the plates which will illustrate the new book.

It is proposed to give 48 colored plates, upon which will be figured over 1,200 species of the moths of the United States, and there will be, in addition, between 200 and 300 cuts scattered through the text, so that about 1,600 species of the moths of the continent will be illustrated, many of them for the first time.

Arrangement of the Work.

The arrangement which Dr. Holland proposes to follow is based upon the arrangement recently proposed by Sir George Hampson, the head keeper of the British Museum of Natural History, who is at present engaged in preparing, with the assistance of the entomologists of the world, a magnificent illustrated catalogue of the moths of the British museum. To this great work—three volumes of which have already appeared—Dr. Holland has contributed. He has also loaned from his collection to the British museum several hundreds of species which were not in the British museum and which have been figured by Sir George Hampson in the three volumes that have already been published.

Classification Difficult.

The classification of this great order of insects is very difficult, and great changes have taken place within recent years as the result of the studies of a number of eminent entomologists. The modern student endeavors in classification, so far as possible, to follow out the lines of descent from the most primitive to the more highly specialized forms.

The theory of progressive development applied to classification has revolutionized the science of entomology, as well as other sciences. No attempt, however, has been systematically made until quite recently to apply these more modern views to the classification of the great group of insects on which the director of the Carnegie museum is working at present.

Will Show Marked Advance.

When the book appears it will show a marked advance upon all other works of a similar sort which have preceded it. In addition to having secured the use of material from the United States National museum, Dr. Holland has succeeded in enlisting a number of other entomologists not confined to the states. The new book on which Dr. Holland is at present engaged will be completed and published before the close of the present year. About 25,000 species, represented by 150,000 specimens, constitute the collection of native and foreign moths in the Carnegie museum. This collection is undoubtedly the largest in the country. A great deal of this material has never yet been named and arranged.

Collecting for Eighteen Years.

For eighteen years William Doherty, who recently died in Uganda, Africa, has been collecting for Dr. Holland, and he has also had in his employment other collectors in Africa, Asia and South America, through whom thousands of species have been acquired. Large portions of the material belonging to the Holland collection have never yet been classified. There are probably 40,000 exotic butterflies stored away in the Carnegie museum which will have to be expanded and examined.

Herbert H. Smith, who is at present engaged upon the entomological collections of the museum, says: "A very moderate estimate of the number of species in all orders of moths belonging to the museum shows that we have over 80,000 species represented by at least 500,000 specimens."

Other Works Under Way.

Mr. Ashmead of Washington is preparing a monograph upon the chalcidae of the collection, which will shortly appear. Mr. E. T. Cresson of Philadelphia is publishing a paper upon the mutillidae collected by Mr. Smith in Brazil.

W. J. Fox, also of Philadelphia, is working up the wasps and bees, and Prof. Uhler of the Peabody institute in Baltimore has portions of the hemiptera which he is studying.

The Rev. P. Jerome Schmitt, O. S. B., of St. Vincent's abbey, has agreed to work up the pselaphidae of the collection.

The recent acquisition of the Hartmann collection of shells has resulted in requests from European naturalists for aid in determining species.

At Laird's January clearance sale 300 dozen 25c overgaiters—9c a pair; 300 dozen ladies' 20c wool soles—9c a pair, and 25c rubber shoes, in sizes 2½, 3 and 3½ at 9c a pair. Market street and Smithfield street.

BATH HOUSES AGAIN ASKED FOR

A MEETING IN RECORDER'S OFFICE TO DISCUSS MATTER.

Ten Possible Sites, All on Property Owned by City, Were Suggested by Director Leslie—Agitation for These Conveniences Going on for Years.

As far back as 1860 the question of public bath houses for Pittsburgh was discussed in councils, but as yet none have been erected. The matter was discussed in Director Brown's office yesterday by the sub-committee of the committee on municipal improvements of councils. Robert Pitcairn presided. There were also present E. Z. Smith, Frank S. Guffey and Dr. Thomas Turnbull of the Civic club, Directors Leslie and McCandless and A. W. Mellon and J. M. Guffey of the committee.

Director Leslie furnished the information that in the past three years there have been 230 drownings reported to the coroner, and that as almost all of them were boys or young men it was but reasonable to suppose that the victims were in the river for cleanliness or pleasure, perhaps both. He suggested that because of the river frontage and the property owned by the city not in use a number of bath houses could be built at an expense of from $7,000 to $15,000 each, and maintained at from $1,000 to $1,500 each annually.

The following locations were suggested by Director Leslie: Bedford avenue basin, Center avenue police station about to be abandoned, Webster avenue, near Thirty-third street, old police station in Second avenue, Adams market in Penn avenue, Second Avenue park, Liberty and Thirtieth streets, Butler and Forty-seventh streets, Negley run and Beechwood avenue, and at the old police station in Carson street opposite the Knox school. All of the property is owned by the city.

Dr. Turnbull said that the bath house in Penn avenue had been popular and profitable. The first year, 1897, there were 28,000 baths taken and last year 55,000. The average is about 3,000 a month in winter and 7,000 a month in summer. There are but two tubs and 22 shower baths. A charge of 5 cents is made for soap and towel.

Director Brown presented a number of letters from other cities bearing upon the question, and in a communication urged the importance of bath houses, and that action be taken at once.

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$2.50 52-in. wide Broadcloth, our price $2.00 yd.
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GREAT ANNUAL MANUFACTURERS SHOE SALE

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THE best Shoe News printed yet! Four more manufacturers have sold us their surplus stocks and season remainders for scarcely more than the cost of the bare leather. This will give Our Annual Shoe Sale a new lease of life—enables us, in fact, to sell better shoes than ever for the surprisingly low figures of $1 and $2. THIS SALE, as the public has found out by this time, has nothing to do with the stereotyped offers that continually fill the papers. We are not Dollar Shoe Dealers, because shoes made to sell for that price, don't come up to our standard. The shoes we offer today at $1 are regular $2 and $2.50 qualities, while those which we offer at this sale for $2 are really $3, $3.50 and $4 grades. They came to us for about half their value—and that's how they go to you.

Some of the Men's Shoes for $1.00 and $2.00 the Pair:

Men's $2.50 Calf Lace Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Men's $2.00 Satin Calf Buckle Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Men's $2.50 Box Calf Lace Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Men's $2.00 Seal Leather Lace Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Men's $4.00 Patent Leather Button Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Men's $3.50 English Enamel Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Men's $3.00 Vici Kid Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Men's $4.00 Patent Leather Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.

Some of the Women's Shoes for $1.00 and $2.00 the Pair:

Women's $2.00 Vici Kid Lace Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Women's $2.50 Box Calf Lace Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Women's $2.00 French Kid Lace Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Women's $2.50 Box Calf Spring Heel Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Women's $2.00 Vici Kid Button Shoes, at $1 the pair.
Women's $4.00 English Enamel Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Women's $3.50 Vici Kid Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Women's $4.00 Patent Leather Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Women's $3.50 Box Calf Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.
Women's $4.00 Chrome Calf Lace Shoes, at $2 the pair.

The above Sale is apart from our regular lines, which we maintain complete the year round. Take the celebrated HANAN Shoes, for which we have the sole Pittsburgh agency, for instance. We have all sizes and styles for men and women, and the prices are $5, $5.50 @ $6 the pair.

Men Profit 30 to 50%

By Taking Advantage of This Annual Clothing Clearing.

It's a sound business rule that the first loss is the best. If we did what others do, we would pack the remainder of our winter stock away till next fall, and then, by brushing and pressing make it appear like new garments. Bad policy, this. Styles change, and most men know what's what. We run no risk of piling up clothing that's out of date, and have no dead capital, by closing out our stock each season. True enough, the present loss is severe, but we are more than compensated in the long run by an ever increasing trade—a trade that's even now by far the biggest in town.

Choice from all Suits & Overcoats marked $8, for $5
Choice from all Suits & Overcoats marked $12, for $7
Choice from all Suits & Overcoats marked $16, for $10
Choice from all Suits & Overcoats marked $25, for $15

Final Reductions In Boys' Overcoats.

The new spring styles have commenced to come in, yet we still have on hand a large number of Boys' and Children's Overcoats. As we never carry goods from one season to the next, these Overcoats must be gotten rid of at once. And this is the way we propose to do it. We've practically

Divided Our Entire Stock Into 2 Big Lots,

FROM WHICH WE OFFER CHOICE, COMMENCING TODAY, AS FOLLOWS:

$1.50 Buys Choice From the Boys' Former $3, $3.50, $4 and $5 Overcoats.

Among them will be found Cape Overcoats in plain or fancy colors—Russian and Automobile Overcoats in all shades—Long Oxford Overcoats—Medium Weight Tan Box Overcoats, etc., etc.—Also Fine Irish Frieze, Blue Chinchilla and Covert Cloth Reefers—all sizes. Choice for $1.50.

$3.50 Buys Choice From the Boys' Former $6, $7, $8, $9 and $10 Overcoats.

These include extra fine Imperial Novelty Long Overcoats—Red Hood Military and Russian Overcoats—Fancy Frieze and Kersey Overcoats—Long Loose Fitting Oxford Overcoats—Medium Weight Overcoats—Heavy Weight Overcoats—Extra Fine Chinchilla Reefers, etc., etc. All sizes 3 to 19—at $3.50.

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